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STATE LEGISLATURE.

Speaker Lynch Delays Naming Committees.

BUT FIVE HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED

Some of the More Important New Measures Presented Yesterday.

SACRAMENTO, January 16.—In the senate this morning a bill was introduced appropriating $47,000 for the purchase of the furnished residence of Joseph Steffers in Sacramento for an executive mansion.

A new constitutional amendment was proposed by Smith and Ford opening the way for the use of voting machines in elections. It follows the line of the new constitution of New York.

A five minute session of the senate was held this afternoon. Seymour offered a resolution for a standing committee of five on retrenchment to abolish and consolidate state commissions and offices.

When the assembly adjourned tonight 487 bills had been introduced to become laws or be killed before the session shall come to an end. In the senate yesterday 209 bills were introduced. When the senate sat today fourteen more came to light. But it remained for the assemblymen to break the record. At a single sitting this afternoon the lower house brought forth 244 bills, and even then many members withheld their proposed measures. They hope to secure closer attention for their pet schemes when the first grist shall have been worked through the mill. Notwithstanding that all this business remains to be taken up by the standing committees, Speaker Lynch still delays in naming the committees. So far he has announced the membership of but five of the forty-one committees.

The supporters of Senator Perkins continue to insist that the appointments are being withheld in the interests of deYoung in order to make trading for committee preferment possible. Speaker Lynch, however, declares that he has been unable to satisfactorily place many members of the assembly and this afternoon before adjournment he called upon the assemblymen for the second time to send in to him in writing a list of committees to which they particularly desired appointment. In this way he says he hopes to better satisfy all the members.

Of the 487 bills introduced probably half of them are identical with the bills introduced into the senate yesterday. The following are among the more important new measures presented in the assembly:

By Dodge—To prevent the display of foreign flags on public buildings.

By North—To amend the notary fee bill by reducing fees anout 50 per cent.

By Phelps—To prevent able bodied persons from handing together and obtaining subsistence by alms.

By Sanford—To require corporations to pay their employes at least once in each and every month.

By Wade—To repeal the act establishing a board of parole commissioners for parole of state prisoners.

By Wade—To amend the act creating a state board of railroad commissioners by reducing their salaries from $4000 to $3000.

By Cutter—To prevent the keeping open of barber shops on Sunday.

By Johnson—To provide for the appointment and election of an additional superior judge for the county of Humboldt.

By Ashworth—To prevent contract marriages, and providing that no marriage shall be lawful unless the license is authenticated and recorded.

By Freeman—To repeal the act creating a state bureau of labor statistics.

By Kelsey—Granting permission to the city of San Jose to erect high school and library buildings upon the grounds of the State Normal school.

By Dixon—To create a state board of funeral directors.

By Dodge—To secure independence and promote purity in nominations by political conventions. The act is intended to prevent combinations among delegates.

By Dodge—To require county officers to file monthly expense accounts.

Previous to adjournment Speaker Lynch announced the standing committee on ways and means as follows: Brusie, Phelps, Merrill, Kelsey, Llewellyn, Belshaw, Swissler, Fassett, Tomlin, Langenour and Devine.

Good Roads Convention.

SACRAMENTO, January 16.—Governor Budd today nominated twenty citizens of the state at large to serve in the state good roads convention at Sacramento February 7th. These are in addition to the twenty nominated by Governor Markham, and their appointment is in response to an appeal to Governor Budd by the convention executive committee for recognition. Among them are J. O. Stowell, Williams; J. E. Putnam, Willows; W. D. Watson, Santa Clara; T. C. White, Fresno; Mrs. William Merrill, Stockton; W. W. Gray, Merced; F. H. Kerrigan, San Francisco.

Train Reported Wrecked.

RENO, Nev., January 16.—The overland passenger bound west is reported wrecked at White Plains station, about twenty miles east of Wadsworth. It is impossible to get many particulars, but reports say the train ran into an open switch. A brakeman was killed, the engineer seriously hurt and several passengers injured. The train is the one due in San Francisco at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Want Investigating Committees.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—The committee of eleven of the municipal reform movement this afternoon decided to ask the legislature to appoint two investigating committees, the several members of each to be composed of members of the legislature. One to investigate the conduct of state officials, the other to investigate municipal affairs.

His Aim Was Poor.

SANTA CRUZ, January 16.—Levi Hannah, son of Captain Hannah of the steamer Pomona, attempted suicide this afternoon by shooting. He aimed the pistol at his heart but the bullet went wide of the mark and lodged in his shoulder. Despondency is believed to be the cause.

The Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—Wheat, steady; May, 95½c.

Barley—Quiet; December, 76¾c; May, 84¾c.

Corn, $1.27½.

Bran, $18.00 a ton.

POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

A Fine Exhibit of Fruits From Twenty Counties.

SACRAMENTO, January 16.—The American Pomological Society opened its session this morning in the old pavilion where there is a fine exhibit of citrus and deciduous fruits and nuts from twenty counties. G. B. Katzenstein of Sacramento gave the address of welcome. Dr. Lewis of Oregon extended an invitation to the members of the convention to visit that state and investigate its fruit growing industry. Professor E. O. Wickson of the California University read a long and interesting paper on the history of fruit, nut and berry culture in this state.

Peach culture in the south was the subject of a paper by A. S. Sudiman of Ithaca, N. Y., treating of the varieties adopted to certain localities. An invitation from the Pomology Society of Southern California was extended to the members to visit that section and hold a session there. Sudiman, of New York, read a paper on spraying for eradication of fungi and the adaptability of different mixtures therefor. Tonight the members of the convention were given a reception in the state capitol building by the governor and state officers and members of the legislature.

San Francisco Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—Five furlongs—May McCarthy, Arundel, Redwill. Time, 1 12.

Six furlongs—Gadaloupe, Puryear. Time, 1.30.

Seven furlongs—Quirt, Montalvo, Zobair. Time, 1.41½.

Five furlongs—Carasado, Prince, Idle, Jim Corbett. No time.

Five and a half furlongs—Dolly McCone, Vulcan, Niagara. Time, 1.21¼.

ATTORNEY KNIGHT

CONCLUDES TO PROCEED AGAINST HUNTINGTON.

Huntington Denies Giving an Interstate Pass to Attorney Stone.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—United States District Attorney Knight has concluded to proceed with the case against C. P. Huntington, for whom a warrant was asked for the issuance of an interstate railroad pass. Knight is preparing all the facts in the case and will refer them to the Attorney General at Wasnington for investigation and instruction. Knight says Huntington is not the only railroad man in California accused of issuing interstate passes. If Huntington is prosecuted, others will likewise suffer. Huntington denies giving an interstate pass to Frank M. Stone, the lawyer and politician.

THE BUTTE EXPLOSION.

The Number of Persons Killed Estimated at Sixty.

BUTTE, Mont., January 16.—It is now estimated that the number of persons killed by last night's explosion of giant powder was sixty. Nearly fifty are already known to have been killed. Today the city is in mourning and all flags are at half mast. The relief meeting called by the mayor was largely attended and a committee appointed for collection of money for the relief of the affected families. The people are responding liberally and a sufficient amount to relieve the distress is already guaranteed. A number of bodies are mangled beyond all recognition and never will be identified. Forty have been identified.

Hellman and Baum Ineligible.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—The supreme court has decided that I. W. Hellman and William B. Baum are ineligible to act as freeholders. The thirteen other men elected are in every way a legally constituted body, fully qualified to go ahead and draw up a new charter for San Francisco. Hellman and Baum were among the fifteen candidates for freeholders receiving the highest votes last election, but their election was contested on the ground of not being residents of the city and an attempt made to invalidate the election of the whole board.

Bail for Mrs. Hartley.

RENO, January 16.—Pending a new trial in the Hartley murder case, Judge Cheney admitted the defendant to bail in the sum of $25,000. Citizens promptly furnished $12,000.

BURROUGH VALLEY LETTER.

The Events of a Personal and Local Nature.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Mail carrier Eversoll has sold out to Mr. Petrea and that gentleman will hereafter carry the mail.

Dean Worden and John Williams have moved into the valley. They were former residents here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Maxwell have gone to Fresno to spend a week or two. Miss Ida Bacon of the Academy is teaching the Burrough school in the absence of Mr. Maxwell.

Mr. Miller has secured the services of Professor Morton as tutor to his children.

The Adventists have just closed a series of meetings which were successful.

Judge Spence told your correspondent that he would perform the marriage ceremony free of charge for the first couple to present themselves after his introduction into office, the only consideration being the right to kiss the bride before the groom did. This is a fair and generous offer.

Mr. Bond of Lemoore has moved into the valley and has rented the old Mantz place.

Elder Guildford, formerly of this place, but now of Oakland, has been here for the past ten days conducting the Adventist meetings. His wife accompanied him.

Last Monday evening the young people met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lewis for a social hop. It was intended for a surprise and was a success.

Messrs. Baley Brothers & Black of Toll House have leased the Peck mine and have put in a new dam on the Lewis (formerly the Andy Duncan) ranch, widened the ditch, made new flumes, etc., and are meeting with success. The rain don't seem to worry them.

ALAMOS SOLO.

Burrough, January 14th.

Good Company.

It is reported in the press dispatches from the east that the newly inaugurated governor of Delaware can neither read nor write. If he would come to Fresno and look around among the city officers he might find good company.

ANOTHER BIG STORM

The Precipitation Nearly Three Inches in Places.

FEARS OF A FLOOD AT VISALIA

It is Probable That Stockton Will be Under Water Before Noon.

SAN MIGUEL, January 16.—A cyclone visited this section about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, demolishing A. J. Hughes' residence, lifted an outhouse into the air and dropped it hundreds of yards distant, overturned Robert Kirk's buggy, breaking two of his ribs, and a flying tree pierced his lungs. The Parkfield stage was overturned, but the passengers escaped injury. Telegraph poles were thrown to the ground, and the wires prostrated. The storm continues tonight.

VISALIA, January 16.—A heavy wind storm blew this morning, and it has rained all day. Streams are full, and there is great danger of a flood here should the six-mile levee be weakened. Especial dispatch this morning to the Delta from Monson says a wind storm this morning tore off the roof of the grain warehouse of the S. Sweet Company, exposing 1000 sacks of wheat to the elements.

LOS GATOS, January 16.—Los Gatos has been in the throes of a big storm for the past fifteen hours in which thunder and lightning, hail, high winds and a terrific downpour have been jumbled together. The precipitation of the present storm is nearly three inches and for the season over thirty. A big landslide occurred this afternoon at Rock Ledge on the line of the narrow gauge railroad, delaying trains several hours. The obstructions were removed by means of giant powder.

SAN DIEGO, January 16.—San Diego tonight is completely cut off from communication by rail with other places and the floods reported from outlying towns are said to be of unprecedented violence. Persons living farther up the valley near the old mission were rescued in boats this evening, while the county hospital is threatened with inundation. The bridges on the Cuyamaca railroad are gone and Cajon valley is flooded. Streams which are ordinarily beds of sand are overflowing their banks and impassable.

STOCKTON, January 16.—At this hour it looks as if Stockton could not escape a flood. The rain is falling in torrents and all streams are bank full and rising. Should the weather turn cold or the rain cease in the mountains the danger might pass, but it is more than probable Stockton will be under water before noon tomorrow. The western part of town is partly under water now.

HOBBS & PARSONS REMOVE.

They Will Occupy Stores on Tulare Street.

Hobbs & Parsons were busy last night removing their store from I street to number 1830 Tulare street, near the postoffice, where they will henceforth occupy commodious quarters fitted up to accommodate their growing business. Four years ago this firm began in this city with a small store on Fresno street, where they retailed green fruit only. Later they removed to I street, and soon began to branch out into other lines. They entered the dried fruit business, both wholesale and retail, and soon found it necessary to build a packing house. Their trade grew rapidly, and when they undertook the packing of raisins as well as the buying and selling of fruits, they met abundant success in that line also.

The dried fruit business in Fresno county has grown rapidly during the past few years, and is still growing. Hobbs & Parsons have managed to secure and hold a large share of this trade. In fact, they head the list as handlers of dried fruits, and are also large handlers of raisins. Their business has expanded so rapidly that they have found it necessary to drop some portions of their former trade, and from this time forward they will not handle the retailing of green fruit, but will give their entire attention to wholesale business, and will deal in fruits, produce, raisins and similar commodities.

This success has been by no means the result of chance or luck, but has been due to industry, a close adherence to business principles, careful application to their work and an intelligent study of the markets, the needs of the people, and how best to meet all the requirements which confront the merchant in a country where competition is active, and where fair dealing and quick perception enter so largely into the elements of success.

Delegates to Los Angeles.

Fresno county's delegates to the meeting of the Los Angeles chamber of commerce left for the south on last evening's train. They expected to be joined at Selma by the two delegates from that town. Probably delegates from Kings, Tulare and Kern counties boarded the same train in its course up the valley. The meeting will be held today, and if it arrives at any definite plan as to what ought to be done and the way to do it, arrangements will probably be made for other meetings at different places in this valley to take the necessary steps toward organization for business.

Information Wanted.

W. E. Duncan of Oroville, California, writes to the REPUBLICAN for information as to the address of the parents of William Fearon who was recently frozen to death in the mountains north of that town. His parents are supposed to live in Fresno county, and any one knowing their postoffice address is requested to write to Mr. Duncan at Oroville.

Happy Sheepmen.

Although the price of wool is low, the sheepmen are rejoicing because there is plenty of feed in sight for next season. The plains are now green from mountain to mountain, and even if there should be no more rain there is pasturage assured till late in the spring, and the snows in the mountains guarantee feed there for the summer.

CLARK-HARRIS.

Popular Young People United in Marriage.

At the residence of the bride's parents on J street, this city, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon occurred the marriage of William Clark and Miss Annie Laurie Harris. None but the relatives and the immediate friends of the two families were in attendance. The marriage was a quiet affair, Rev. Sewell of Los Angeles officiating.

Mr. Clark is cashier at the Southern Pacific freight depot in this city, and is deservedly popular among all who know him. Miss Harris, the bride, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harris, and a niece of Judge M. K. Harris, and none of the young ladies of Fresno have enjoyed more popularity. She has lived in this city from her childhood and has endeared herself to all who have been so fortunate as to be numbered among her acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs Clark left last evening on the southbound train for Los Angeles, where they will visit two weeks with friends and then return to Fresno and make this city their home. Among those present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Judge M. K. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Am S. Hays; Misses Annie and May Alexander of Oakland, Myrtle and Maggie Harrell; Messrs. Wallace Alexander of Oakland, C. C. Elliott, Isaac Harris, jr., and Dr. F. N. Russell.

Senate Committees.

The senate committees on which Dr. A. J. Pedlar will act as member at Sacramento are the following: Agriculture, horticulture, viticulture, viniculture, military, state prisons and buildings, and hospitals.

THE INCOME TAX.

THE SENATE REFUSES TO REFER IT TO THE COURTS.

Interrogatories of Officers Seeking to Collect the Tax Limited.

WASHINGTON, January 16.—After a debate covering over a week, the senate today voted down Mr. Hill's proposition to refer the legality of the income tax to the courts, only five senators joining with Mr. Hill in supporting the proposition. Although Hill failed in referring the income tax to the courts he secured the adoption of an important amendment limiting the interrogatories of officers seeking to collect the tax. The amendment will have the effect of compelling the treasury department to change its regulations as to collecting the tax.

Lodge's effort to have the income tax officials placed under the civil service rules was defeated. The income tax appropriation was then agreed to and the deficiency appropriation bill passed.

In a Hay Chopping Machine.

On yesterday morning's train an Italian, who had been badly cut in a hay chopping machine, arrived in Fresno from Firebaugh, where he was in the employ of Miller & Lux. He was brought here for medical treatment, and later in the day was removed to the county hospital. His left arm was almost chopped off, and the right was badly cut. He had also received severe injuries about the head. His recovery is doubtful.

CMOLLY'S GOSSIP.

Paragraphs That Contain Information By the Delentation of the Select.

I have received a number of letters asking me to disclose the names of the "syndicate" that is making one pretty young married woman so very happy by their well distributed attentions and favors.

It would be entirely unfair to tell. There is no fun in starting scandal. It is only proper to comment upon matters as they are, as the world knows them and sees them.

The syndicate and the object of its devotion were all to be seen at the horse show daily.

Their names are immaterial. It is the originality of the idea and the woman's complacency that make the subject amusing.

The dudes of the Knickerbocker club are having an iron extension built over the sidewalk to protect their pretty varnished boots and greased hats as they pass in and out of the club to and from their carriages.

It really is a nuisance in stormy weather to get one's boots gummy or one's shirt bosom ruined on while getting from a cab to the door, and I should think that other clubs would follow the sensible example set by the dudery.

Now, chappies, open your brainboxes wide and stuff this pointer in:

It isn't "goff" at all, and if you think it is you are in such a hopeless condition of bad form that your lawyer can only save you on the plea of inquinent paresis.

Nobody over the water pronounces it "goff," except the caddies who work for fippence a day, and I am sure there can't be any chappie within shot of Delmonico's who wants to be put on the same level as a caddie.

"Goff" is away off.

Call it "gowlf," and people will think you are crazy maybe, but you will be right English up to the top notch, don't chew knaw!

"Gowlf" goes. Seef

Mr. A. M. Bagby requests me to contradict as briefly as possible the statement that he is engaged in marriage to Mrs. Paran Stevens.

It is done.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

Not This Time.

Grandma—I see that the locusts with a "W" on their wings are out again. It means "war" whenever they appear.

Miss Laura—Not this time, grandma. It means "woman." This is the era of her emancipation.—Indianapolis Journal.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WE ARE SAWING WOOD!

AND

HAVE OUR HAMMER WITH US TO KNOCK PRICES DOWN.

Powerful Inducements for the Second Week of Our

Great War Path Sale

The Second Week of Our GREAT SALE begins with an Array of Attractions that cannot fail to Create an even Greater Sensation than Last Week's Marvelous Offerings.

PRICE LIST

DRY GOODS.

100 pieces of the finest Dark Dress Prints at 2c a yard.

A new line of Tennis Flannels at 3c a yard.

50 pieces red Tennis Flannels at 7c a yard.

Solid cream Baby Flannels, for this sale at 5c a yard.

4 4 unbleached Muslin at 3c a yard.

Best quality bleached Muslin, "Fruit of the Loom," at 6c a yard.

Extra quality of heavy Canton Flannel at 4c a yard.

Best quality of heavy Canton Flannel at 7½c a yard.

Cheviot Shirtings, best quality at 3c a yard.

9-4 Sheeting at 15c a yard.

Good quality of Turkey red Table Linen at 20c a yard.

Half bleached, all linen, fine Table Damask at 25c a yard.

An elegant quality of absolutely fast black Sateen at 9c a yard.

Best quality of absolutely fast black Sateen at 13c a yard.

50 pieces of finest quality of figured Sateen, in elegant patterns, at 12½c a yard.

Our fine French Sateen Comforters, former prices $3 and $3.50, now $1.50 each.

20 dozen full size, extra quality Comforters, former price $2, now $1 each.

The greatest line of white Bedspreads and toilet Quilts at 65c and $1 each.

The balance of our all-wool Elderdown Flannels at 25c a yard.

Our fine all-wool 50c French Flannels, for this sale at 30c a yard.

Our fine $10 silk Comforters at $6 each.

Our $1 Lace Curtains, War Path price 50c

Our $1.25 Lace Curtains, War Path price 90c.

Our $1.50 Lace Curtains, War Path price $1.

Our fine $5 Chenille Portieres, with heavy fringe at $2.75 a pair.

RIBBONS.

A line of all-silk Ribbons, in widths 7, 9, 12 and 16; regular price 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c a yard; War Path sale price 8c a yard for all widths.

CLOAKS AND WRAPS.

We are offering for this week the same inducements in our entire stock of Cloaks and wraps as last week.

Last week has cleaned us up about half.

Come before the rest is sold.

DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Cashmere Henrietta, regular price 50c, War Path sale price 20c a yard.

40-inch all-wool Henriettas, regular price 50c and 60c a yard, sale price 30c a yard.

A few more of our 46 inch, 75c and $1 all-wool fine French Serges, to be sold during the sale at 50c a yard.

56-inch all-wool Ladies' Cloth, regular price 75c, 90c and $1, sale price 50c a yard.

54-inch all-wool Broadcloths, regular price $1 and $1.25, sale price 55c a yard

54-inch extra heavy fine French Broadcloths, regular price $1 50 and $1.75; sale price 90c a yard.

All our fine French Wool and Silk-mixed Dress Goods, regular price 50 and 75c; sale price 35c a yard.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Our $1 and $1.25 line of black all-wool French Fancy Dress Goods, 40 inches wide, for this sale at 55c a yard.

SILKS.

Just received 20 pieces of 22-inch fine 50c India Silks in all shades, to be sold this week at 20c a yard.

10 pieces of Fancy Striped Silk Satin, for this sale at 20c a yard.

MILLINERY.

The remainder of our winter stock in Fine French Millinery must be sold at any price.

FANCY GOODS.

A fine line of Ladies' Black and Colored Kid Gloves, ranging in price from $1 to $1.75; for this sale at 50c a pair; sizes 5¾, 5¾, 6 and 6½ only.

An elegant line of Foster Hook Kid Gloves, tan and greys; all sizes; this sale at 75c a pair.

Children's Hemmed and Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs at 4c each.

Children's all-wool scarlet Underwear to be sacrificed at following prices: Size 16, 20c; 18, 25c; 20, 30c; 22, 40c; 24, 45c; 26 50c; 28, 60c.

Ladies' heavy ribbed Vests, regular price 45c; sale price 25c.

Ladies' natural gray heavy wool-mixed ribbed Vests and Pants, worth 75c; sale price 40c each.

Children's fast black extra heavy School Hose, regular price 20c; sale price 10c a pair.

MEN'S SHOES.

Men's fine calf congress Shoes, any style, good value for this sale at $1.15 a pair.

Men's extra fine congress and lace Shoes, any style, regular price $2.50 for this sale at $1.25 a pair.

Men's fine Haman Shoes, for this sale at $4.50 and $5.75 a pair.

Our celebrated Little Giant School Shoes will be sold during this sale at the following prices: Sizes 5 to 7½ at 90c a pair; sizes 8 to 10½ at $1 05 a pair; sizes 10½ to 2 at $1.30 a pair.

We carry these shoes in calf and grain. The standard quality of these shoes are well known, and the above prices recommend themselves.

CLOTHING.

Men's Union Cassimere Suits, regular price $8.50 and $9; War-Path Sale price $5 a suit.

50 men's all-wool Cassimere Suits reduced from $10 50 to $11 a suit.

A fine line of men's Scotch Tweed Suits reduced from $16 to $10.

All of our men's fine Frock Suits, regular price $18 and $20; reduced to $10.

The balance of our men's fine double-breasted Sack Suits, manufactured by the Stein Bloch Co., the finest clothing manufactured in the United States, for which we are the exclusive agent in Fresno, regular price $15 and $18; War-Path Sale price $12.

Our fine black and blue Stein Bloch Cheviot Suits, in single or double-breasted, $22.50 and $25; reduced for this sale, to $15.50 a suit.

This make of goods is equal if not superior to tailor made clothes.

All stylish Overcoats reduced from $10 and $12 to $6 each.

Our $12.50 fine heavy weight Ulsters reduced for this sale to $8 each.

Our children's Suits and Overcoats will be sold during the sale at a great sacrifice.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We are closing out our stock of ladies' fine shoes.

Our ladies, patent leather $7 Shoes for this sale at $2.90 a pair.

Our ladies' fine $6 plain toes, French Kid Shoes, for this sale at $3 a pair.

Ladies' kid button, round or square toe, patent leather tipped and [illegible] lasted, worth $3 and $3 [illegible] for this sale at $1 60 a pair.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

We have over 1000 Remnants of all Kinds and descriptions, which must be sold.

OUR PRICES WILL TELL THE STORY.

Purchasers of $20 worth of Merchandise are entitled to receive a handsome life-sized Crayon Portrait free of charge.

☞OUR STORES WILL BE CLOSED AT 6 P.M., EXCEPTING SATURDAY.

THE KUTNER-GOLDSTEIN CO.

The Universal Providers.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," "Lost," etc., will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line for each insertion. No single advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. In estimating the length of each advertisement count six words to the line for the first three lines of ordinary reading matter, and eight words to the line for all subsequent lines. Orders by mail promptly filled, but the cash should accompany each order.

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL, OR OLD LADY, who wants a good home for board and lodging, no work. Apply at the Boston Restaurant. j16t2*

WANTED—MAN EXPERIENCED IN ORchard work, married and German preferred. Steady job to the right party. Send address to R. REEDLEY, P.O. j16t1*

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS WAITER, IMMEdiately, at the "Lyndon." j12t3*

WANTED GIRL AT 1327 VENTURA STREET. j10t1

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 14 YEARS OLD TO do chores for board and opportunity to go to school. Also a good family horse. Inquire 625 Q street. j4

FOR SALE—WINCHESTER REPEATING shot gun, also one field glass, or will exchange either for incubator or stove wood. Address P, box 16 this office. j4tw1

WANTED—THE I X L EMPLOYMENT office furnishes male and female help on short notice; 1017 J street. MRS. K. BRIDGE and C. FEUCHT. j4tf

WANTED—DRIED FRUIT AND RAISINS for cash. JOHN H. LESLIE & CO., 1009 I street. d6tf

MISCELLANEOUS

MARGARET M. HARDING, TEMPLE BAR building, corner Mariposa and K streets. Hours 8 to 9 p.m. j01m

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—LOOSE WHEAT HAY GOOD quality. Minnewawa Vineyard. j16t2*

FOR SALE—ALFALFA HAY, 5 MILES SOUTH of Fowler. A. A. WEBBER, Selma. j12t2m

FOR SALE—FRESH MILCH COW. ALEX MARTIN, ½ mile east of Belmont school. j11t*

FOR SALE—GRAIN HAY, BALED WHEAT hay. Apply to HECTOR BURNESS, Fresno. j11tf

FOR SALE—A GOOD FRESH HOLSTEIN cow. Apply C. NOYES, 212 Abbey street. j11tf

FOR SALE—ROAD GRADER, IN GOOD REpair. Apply to HECTOR BURNESS, Fresno. j11tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—PEACH ORCHARD, 40 acres, bearing trees. Apply to C. F. WALKER, Selma, Cal. j9t5*

FOR SALE—PIGS—AT ST. GEORGE VINEyard, MALTER MORO, P.O., 5 miles east of Fresno. j8t3

FOR SALE—CHEAP, HOUSEHOLD FURNIture nearly new. Apply 625 R street. j15

FOR SALE—GOOD PORT WINE, 1 YEAR old, at 20 and 25 cents per gallon. VON SCHMIDT'S vineyard, box 453, 6 miles northeast of Fresno. No wine sold on Sunday. j11tm

FOR SALE—A GENTLE YOUNG DRIVING horse, harness and light phaeton, as good as new. All at a bargain. Address "D," box 2, this office. m24tf

FOR SALE—820 ACRES OF CHOICE ORange, fruit and alfalfa land; 2 houses; large barn; 3 water ditches through the track; 50 acres under board and wire fence; 2 miles north of Sanger. Price $20 per acre, terms to suit. J. G. ANDERSON, 959 J street. j16tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A SECOND-HAND UPRIGHT piano, in good condition, at a low figure, will pay spot cash. Address Piano, box 1, Republican office. j16t1

WANTED—TO BUY 50 BRONZE TURKEYS. Address F. O. box 1053, Fresno. O. BYLAND. j13t3*

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WHEREAS—ALEXANDER LIND, MADE A deed of trust to Ed R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated July 8th, 1891, and recorded on the 15th day of July, 1891, in book 113 of Deeds, at page 364 and following, records of Fresno county, State of California, the said trust deed conveying the real property hereinafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith made by the said Alexander Lind; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said trust deed and upon application of the holder and owner of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees will on Thursday, January 17th, 1895, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the courthouse door, in the city of Fresno county of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the real property situate in the county of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section number five (5), in township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-three (23) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights and privileges that are now or may hereafter be connected with or appertain to said lands.

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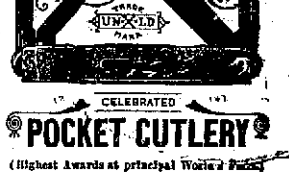

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TRAMPS AND STREET WORK

The winter influx of tramps into California is now at high tide, and notwithstanding the rockpile adjunct to the Fresno jail this city is now supporting a large number of that class who toil not. That they are supported largely by the charity of people who give to those who ask rather than take the chances of refusing some deserving sufferer, is evident. The hobo hordes live upon charity and theft. In either case they are supported in idleness by the community at a considerable cost.

Some action should be taken by this city to lessen this growing evil, and the REPUBLICAN believes that it can suggest a plan which would be productive of good results. It will remove all excuse for the giving of food to tramps by kind-hearted citizens, and without this charity the tramp will be compelled to seek other pastures. They cannot live by theft, for the officers of the law will be upon their trail and the rockpile will be their doom.

This paper would suggest that during the next few months the City Trustees make arrangements to give employment upon the streets of this city to destitute persons, the payment for such labor being made in tickets for cheap meals, and only in such amount to each individual as would provide subsistence until better employment could be secured. This would be an established guarantee that men willing to work would not suffer for something to eat, and the tramp would then have no excuse for begging for food.

Such a plan would not necessarily cause a heavy expense to the city, which would have value received in the improved condition of streets which are badly enough in need of the work. The work could be done under the management and direction of the street superintendent, whose duty it would be to keep a register of names of all applicants, and to report to the police the names and description of any vagrants who should fail to perform honest service when the opportunity was presented to them.

During the winter months there would be plenty of work in the care and improvement of streets for all probable applicants, and both the public and the officers would then be in a position to [illegible] summarily with the hobos and [illegible] characters who prefer loafing and begging to earning their bread by honest labor.

The success of such an undertaking would, as a matter of course, depend largely upon the industry and intelligence put into its management, but certainly our honorable board of city trustees are fully capable of handling a matter of that kind in a manner that would be productive of satisfactory results.

The streets are badly in need of the work, which can be done in this manner at a very low cost, and the consequent immunity from hordes of tramps supported by charity certainly affords sufficient inducement for giving such plan a practical test.

THE following is the concluding paragraph of a long editorial contribution to the Visalia Times favoring the substitution of the tax on land for all other forms of taxation:

When land ceases to be the subject of speculation, and investments are confined to properties created by human toil, the tramp and all other classes of human parasites will be a thing of the past.

The single tax idea may or may not be [illegible], and it is not our purpose [illegible] that problem, but it is [illegible] introduction into the question of such unmitigated nonsense as the above by its advocates which is calculated to prevent people of common sense from giving it the candid consideration to which it may be entitled. The private ownership of land has about as much to do with the modern tramp as the Mosaic law has. There is not more than one tramp in ten who could not himself have been an owner of land and sharing in the sinful unearned increment therefrom had he been so disposed. Four-fifths of the genuine tramps are such because they prefer a life of irresponsible vagabondage to that of honest labor.

THE people of California are making a very cheap and tinsel affair of their state constitution. There are portions of it now which no more belong in such an instrument than they belong in the ten commandments, and every session of our legislature sees a half dozen or more proposed amendments to it. After a while the patches on the coat will leave no chance to judge what was the original texture and color of the garment. Already in this legislature have four or more proposed amendments been introduced, and heaven alone knows where the tide will stop. California's constitution presents a case for subtraction rather than addition, or if it demands [illegible] patching it deserves annihilation.

THE Democrats of the Tennessee legislature have prevented the Republican governor from taking his seat on the ground that fraud was committed in the election, although the face of the returns show that he was elected by a substantial majority. The Democrats of this state were recently threatening revolution and some other dire consequences should the Republican legislature refuse the governor-elect his seat pending the investigation of alleged frauds. To anyone who is looking for vicious partisanship these facts [illegible] as a valuable pointer.

[illegible] proposition to cut off the mileage [illegible] legislative junketing parties is [illegible] thing and should be carried [illegible]. These junketing excursions have [illegible] cost the state a great deal of [illegible] without any compensating ad[vantage]. Let them be stopped by all [illegible].

THE REILLY BILL.

The possibility that the Reilly funding bill may be rushed through congress will not be contemplated with pleasure by the people of this coast, yet Congressman Geary is on record as saying that he believes such will be the outcome of the matter. More than that, the enactment of the law will certainly be considered an instance of brutal indifference on the part of the east to western interests. The people of the west have lifted up their voice almost unanimously in protest against the adoption of this measure. For fifty years to come it will place a mortgage on the homes and the fortunes of this people. It will bind a burden of "all the traffic will bear" on ourselves, our children and our grandchildren. When we who live have gone to our final rest our descendants will be compelled to take up and carry the load which the east has bound upon our shoulders. Already the people of this state stagger under the pack they carry, and if fifty years are added to our bondage our servitude will indeed seem unbearable.

If this terribly weighty question is rushed through with but two days of congressional debate, as is now prophesied, a man, though a fool, will feel sure that there is a "job" involved. The REPUBLICAN hopes that California's representatives will fight the proposition to the last. The welfare of the state is involved in the decision which shall be reached.

SENATOR HILL dined with Secretary Lamont Saturday, and this incident is mentioned as significant, in connection with the report that the Cleveland and Hill interests are becoming cemented in the interest of the Democratic party.—Selma Irrigator.

When the Cleveland and Hill interests become cemented in the interests of the Democratic party the hearse may as well be ordered and other arrangements made for decent interment. The combined interests of Cleveland and Hill would kill the best political party on earth, not to mention the one with which those distinguished persons are affiliated.

RANDOM REMARKS.

A dispatch says: "Most senators speak of President Cleveland with epithets and expletives." We have noticed something similar all about the country. It must be in the atmosphere.

The plains are pictures of livid green.—Visalia Delta.

It is possible that this flood of waters is making the [illegible]. If that isn't what ails the[m] you'll be best to call in a doctor.

Then the legislative chaplain he raised his brow [illegible]
To the ceiling of the statehouse, specked by [many] rounds of flies,
And [illegible] said; "Oh, mighty spirit, where do peace and comfort dwell?"
And an echo seemed to murmur merely: "Well—well—well."

The people of Santa Ana are aroused by a plot to steal or abduct a young lady. It does seem hard, but it will not appear strange to anybody who knows the Santa Ana girls. A man who would not capture one of them in any way that he could would be no gentleman, to say nothing of his being less than human. The case is deplorable, but not unnatural.

The legislature, which is now politically divided into three parties, viz: Republican, Democratic and Assemblyman Bledsoe, might obviate the difficulties of the situation by sending Mr. Bledsoe to the United States senate to be greeted by Senator Peffer. This is a happy thought which possibly had not occurred to anybody, and if it is adopted the writer will be—be—well, very likely he will be hanged by a righteously indignant populace. Probably it will be better not to pay any attention to the suggestion.

MOSE GUNST may be sure of hearty condemnation by the people of the state in his attempt to resist removal from the office of police commissioner. The masses want no professional sport in such a place. They hold to an old-fashioned theory that decent living is an element to be considered in public servants, and they consider that Gunst would look better even in his gambling house than in a police commissioner's office. The people would dislike much to believe that he will win his contest, and they do not believe it.

WHILE OUR MOUTHS ARE AT THE BUNG.

The pressure of office-seekers upon Governor Budd is tremendous.—Press dispatch.

Oh, we're standing at the barrel, and our mouths are at the bung,
Each hoping that some treacle will drop upon his tongue.
Through September and October have we "fit" as Democrats,
And you'll please to kindly notice we're not talking through our hats
When we say that any office we are ready now to take.
For our love of home and nation, and for God and country's sake;
For when patriotism calls us with an office for her bait,
We will sacrifice unto her, as we're really free to state.

From the carnage of the battle, from its warfare and its blood,
We saved a single trophy, and that trophy's name is Budd.
So in thirsty, thirsty legions we are gathering where he stands,
On our faces expectation, applications in our hands,
For we want to serve our country in a big or little place,
And to draw a pretty salary it would not be disgrace;
So we join the mighty chorus by all office-seekers sung,
While we're standing at the barrel and our mouths are at the bung.

A. J. W.

MARRIED.

HOTALING—McBRIDE—In Fresno, Cal., January 16, 1895, Rev. W. H. Martin officiating, C. H. Hotaling to Miss Margaret McBride.

CLARK—HARRIS—In Fresno, Cal., January 16, 1895, Rev. Sewell officiating, William Clark and Miss Annie Laurie Harris.

DIED.

SELDNER—In San Francisco, January 11, 1895, Louis, beloved husband of Flora Seldner aged 56, a native of Gnesen, Prussia; father of Mrs. Nathan Diamond and George W. Seldner, of San Bernardino, and brother of Mrs. I. G. Levy of Fresno, and Francis Seldner of Guymas, Mexico, and Phil Seldner of San Francisco.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

J F McDonald and wife to James T Boyd, s½ of se¼, se¼ of sw¼ of sec 23; ne¼ of nw¼ of sec 26, t 11, r 21; $10.

B H Elder to John W Butler, part of lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 141; blocks 3 and 4, n½ of blks 5 and 6, Shannon's addition to Sanger; $10.

A P Mickelson and wife to Jens Madsen, s½ of lot 125, Central colony; $1100.

Same to H C Nielson, n½ of lot 125, Central colony; $1500.

Maria & Antonio de Vargas to John F McDonald, s½ of se¼, s½ of sw¼ of sec 23; ne¼ of nw¼ of sec 26, t 11, r 21; $10.

Martha Prather to Mrs. F C Vanderburg, lots 17 and 18, blk 10, Union addition, Selma; $10.

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The small audience was well entertained, Burt Shepherd being at his best, with his old time comic personality and new songs. Colonel Haverly has greatly strengthened the troupe by securing Larry Dooley, formerly with Hallen & Hart. Larry Dooley and Burt Shepherd make a team of end men hard to beat.

The performance ended with the operatic burlesque, "Bill Trovatore," which served to round out an entertaining program.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

Constable's Sale.

In the Justice's court of the Third township of the county of Fresno, state of California.

James Porteous, plaintiff, vs. Geo. B. Otis, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued out of the Justice's court of the Third township, of the county of Fresno, state of California, in a certain action wherein James Porteous as plaintiff recovered judgment against Geo. B. Otis, defendant, for the sum of $182.75, besides interest and accruing costs; I have levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, Geo. B. Otis, of, in and to the following described real property, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, to-wit:

The west half (W½) of the west half (W½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of section four (4), township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-two (22) east, M. D. B. and M., containing ten acres more or less, according to the U. S. survey, and the survey of the Laird colony according to the official map now on file and of record in said Fresno county.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on the 9th day of February, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of said day, in front of the front door of the courthouse of said Fresno county, in the city of Fresno, state of California, sell at public auction for cash, lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, Geo. B. Otis, of, in and to the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder. WM. SHAW,

Constable Third Township, Fresno county, Cal.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1895. j16

Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made.

No. 815.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Wilder, deceased.

D. HATCH AND JOHN CERINI, EXECUTORS of the estate of Henry Wilder, deceased, having filed their petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of a certain part of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth and as provided in the will of said deceased, it is therefore ordered by the court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said superior court on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the court room of said superior court, in the court house, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be made and granted to said executors to sell, at public auction, the following described real estate of said deceased, to-wit:

East half (E½) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) and the southwest quarter (SW¼) of the northwest quarter [NW¼] of section thirty-four [34] in township sixteen [16] south, range nineteen [19] east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, in Fresno county, State of California.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Fresno Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated December 15th, 1894.

J. R. WEBB,
Superior Judge.

G. C. Freman, Attorney for Executors d16td

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YOSEMITE LODGE No. 171, A. O. U. W.—Meets every Tuesday evening in new Spinney building, corner I and Merced streets. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the order. T. A. HOOVER, M. W.
J. M. COLLINS Recorder.

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J. M. COLLINS, Recorder.

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E. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 343, I. O.O.F., meets every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock in I.O.O.F. Hall, north I street, opposite the Pleasanton hotel. A cordial invitation is extended to all sojourning brothers.
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Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, CYRUS J. SMITH AND HIS wife, Christina Smith, made a certain deed of trust to Ed R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated July 10 h, 1891, and recorded on the 14th day of July, 1891, in book 113 of deeds, at page 362 and following, records of Fresno county, State of California, the said trust deed conveying the real property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, made by the said Cyrus J. Smith and Christina Smith; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on Wednesday, February 13th, 1895, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the real property situate in the county of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The fractional west half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-one, in township fourteen south, range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, containing seventy-one 36-100 acres, more or less, together with all improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights and privileges that are now or may hereafter be connected with, or appertain to said land.

ED R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. P. COLEMAN Trustee.

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Order to Show Cause.

Superior Court, County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of D. G. Perry deceased.

IT APPEARING TO THIS COURT BY A petition this day presented and filed by G. A. Everts, the administrator of the estate of the above named deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts of the decedent, funeral expenses and expenses and charges of administration,

It is therefore ordered by this court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court, on Saturday the 2nd day of February, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the court room of said court, at the court house in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary and that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in The Daily Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in the said county and state. M. K. HARRIS,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated, December 29th, 1894.

Everts & Ewing, Attorneys for Administrator. d30td

Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of W. A. Hodges, an insolvent debtor.

W. A. HODGES, HAVING FILED IN THIS court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said W. A. Hodges is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Jay Scott, sheriff of Fresno county, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the people of the State of California, in the sum of one hundred dollars, conditioned as required by law, and in such sum as the court may order, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said W. A. Hodges, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof (including the sheriff of the County of Fresno) in his or their possession, are hereby directed to deliver said property to said receiver, and all persons owing money to said insolvent are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court, and all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Hon. E. W. Risley, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, in open court at the court room of said court, in the County of Fresno, on the 16th day of February, 1895, at 10 o'clock a.m., of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the Fresno Morning Republican, a daily newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Fresno, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed. E. W. RISLEY,

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Foreclosure Sale

In the Superior Court, of the County of Fresno, State of California.

The Petaluma Saving Bank, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Mary Neal, Grace E Neal, Peter Jensen, L. Jorgensen, Jens Petersen, Peter Nissen Petersen, Alfred Brunger, Jens H. Madsen, the City and County of San Francisco, J. E. Doolittle, H. J. T. Jacobson and Doolittle & Jacobsen, defendants.

WHEREAS AN ORDER OF SALE TO ME directed, in the above entitled case was issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, on the 10th day of January, 1895, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 2d day of January, 1895, in favor of the Petaluma Savings Bank, a corporation, plaintiff, and against Mary Neal and Grace E. Neal et al, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in Decree book volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page —, for the sum of $2,370.75, in United States gold coin of the United States of America, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment until paid, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the door of the courthouse, in the County of Fresno, in obedience to the demands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows, to-wit:

The west one-half (½) of section twenty-two (22), Township fifteen (15), south of range twenty (20) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

And that said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States of America.

Dated January 10th, 1895.

L. R. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner appointed by the Court.

D. M. Seaton, attorney for plaintiff. j11

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Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

W. H. Robinson, plaintiff, vs. J. B. Hill, Emma V. Hill, H. H. Luse, Kutner-Goldstein Co. (a corporation), Puget Sound Lumber Co. (a corporation), Costigan, Cohen & Co., and the Fresno Loan and Savings Bank (a corporation), defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, on the 29th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, wherein W. H. Robinson, plaintiff above named, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the said defendants, for the sum of $1215.60, with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the 24th day of December, 1894, and for the further sum of $[illegible] as necessary attorney's fee's for the prosecution of this suit, and $25.50 as costs and accrued costs, which said judgment and decree was, on the 29th day of December, 1894, recorded in decree book, volume —, at page —, of said court, I am commanded to sell all that certain piece and parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered 82 and 84 of the Fresno Colony, as per map thereof now on file and of record in the office of the County recorder of the county of Fresno, state of California, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Also to sell all that certain personal property now being situate and located upon the above described real property, to-wit: 80 head of dairy cows, being the cows composing the Riverdale dairy and used in connection with said dairy.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on the 22nd day of January, 1895, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of said day, in front of the court house door, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell all the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment above stated, with interest, costs and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated December 29th, 1894.

J. L. GRAINGER,
Commissioner appointed by the Court.

Everts & Ewing, Attorneys for Plaintiff, d30td

Commissionerer's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor, plaintiff, vs. D. R. McKenzie, Frank Rule and W. J. Dickey, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled action to me directed was issued out of the Superior court of the said county of Fresno on the 12th day of December, 1894, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 9th day of January, 1893, in favor of the defendant W. J. Dickey, defendant in said action, and plaintiff in his cross complaint filed in said action, against the defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule and the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor; and also in favor of the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee as aforesaid, against the said defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book vol. 4 of the said Superior court at page 415, and is in favor of the said defendant W. J. Dickey upon his cross complaint for the sum of $[illegible], costs of suit, together with the sum of $150 additional attorney's fees allowed by the court upon the appeal of said action to the Supreme court, and also the further sum of $159.30, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs, and in favor of the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor, against the defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule for the sum of $[illegible], together with the costs and attorney's fees allowed to the said plaintiff in said action upon the foreclosure of his said mortgage against the two defendants, D. R. McKenzi and Frank Rule;

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged property to satisfy the two judgments aforesaid, first satisfying the judgment of the defendant and cross-complainant W. J. Dickey, and then the judgment of the plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee, etc., with costs

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 24th day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of the westerly or front door of the court house in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale as follows which said premises are situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, and are bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-three, in Township eight south, range twenty-one east, M. D. B. and M.; thence along the north line of said southeast quarter of northeast quarter fifteen chains east; thence at right angles south five and 6-100 chains; thence at right angles west twelve and 86-100 chains to the center of Fine Gold Creek, at a point five and 6-100 chains south of said north line of said southeast quarter of northeast quarter; thence westerly meandering along the center of said creek about three 54-100 chains to the west line of said southeast quarter of northwest quarter, and thence north along said west line two and 51-100 chains to point of beginning, containing about seven 9-16 acres, together with the improvements thereon including a ten stamp quartz mill, with all the machinery, engines, boiler etc., and all water and water rights belonging or appertaining thereto.

Also that certain mining claim situate on and near said Fine Gold Creek commencing just above and near said mill and running along the vein a distance of fifteen hundred feet up the creek known as the "Last Chance Mine" and particularly described in the location thereof as recorded in book "E" of Mining Claims at page 8, et seq., of Fresno county Records, located by D. R. McKenzie on the 11th day of February, 1881.

Also that certain quartz mining claim located on the 12th day of February, 1881, by Francis Rule, and known as the "Rule Mine," and recorded in book "A" of the records of the Fine Gold Mining district on the 17th day of February, 1881, and also recorded in book "E" of Mining Claims, pages 10 and 11, of records of Fresno county said mine being situated in Fine Gold Mining district and upon the north fork of Fine Gold creek, being an extension of the "Herbert vein" or "lode" of quartz bearing gold, and known as the "Henry Gesche claim," and being that portion of said vein or lode lying between the First Chance and the Last Chance mines, and being a strip of land extending five hundred feet, more or less, upon said vein together with three hundred feet on each side of said vein or lode. Reference is made to said records for a more particular description.

Also that certain mining claim well known as the "St Mining Claim," being fifteen hundred feet in length by six hundred feet in width, together with all improvements upon said properties, consisting of mill, office, boarding house, sleeping house, blacksmith shop and tools and all mining tools upon said mines and mill site, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, December 14th, 1894.

D. J. GUGGENHIME,
Commissioner appointed by the Court to sell said property.

Frank H. Short, attorney for defendant and cross-complainant W. J. Dickey. d25tf

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Attest: JNO. J. SEYMOUR, President.
J. M. COLLIER, Secretary. d19td

By authority of the stockholders of the above named company, who convened at the time and place above mentioned, the said annual meeting was postponed until Friday, February 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m., at same place, and notice of said postponement is hereby given.

J. M. COLLIER, Secretary.

Summons.

In the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno.

Thomas Wootton, plaintiff, vs W. A. Sanders, Albert Gilbert Sanders, John Knausch, Milton O. Abbott and R. L. Graves, defendants named in plaintiff's complaint herein, and G. A. Everts, public administrator of the county of Fresno, and appointed administrator of the estate of William Wootton, deceased, and William Wootton, defendants under this cross-complaint, defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA send greeting to John Knausch, Milton O. Abbott and R. L. Graves, defendants named in plaintiff's complaint herein, and G. A. Everts, public administrator of the county of Fresno, and appointed administrator of the estate of William Wootton, alleged to be deceased, and William Wootton, defendant's under the cross complaint of W. A. Sanders and Albert Gilbert Sanders (suing by his guardian ad litem, G. C. Freman herein), defendants under the cross complaint of the said W. A. Sanders, and said minor by his said guardian, and the said Thomas Wootton, plaintiff in said action.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought by Thomas Wootton in the Superior court of the county of Fresno, State of California, and also you are hereby required to appear and defend in and against the action brought against you by the above named W. A. Sanders and Albert Gilbert Sanders, a minor (suing in said action by his guardian ad litem, G. C. Freman), and to answer the cross complaint of the said W. A. Sanders and said minor filed in said action, on the 5th day of January, 1895, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the day of service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or if served elsewhere within thirty days.

The said action under said original complaint is brought to obtain a judgment, order and decree of this court that the plaintiff is the owner of the lands and premises described in plaintiff's amended complaint, on file in said action, and hereinafter described, and the whole thereof, subject to administration, and that the defendants, and each of them, have no title, estate or interest or lien upon said premises in said amended complaint and hereinafter described, or any part thereof.

Said premises being described as follows: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, to-wit:

The east half of section [illegible] township 16 south, range 24 east; the west half, southwest quarter and southwest quarter of northeast quarter of section 31; the southwest quarter of section 30; the south half, south half of northwest quarter, northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, south half of northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 32; the west half and the west half of the east half of section 33; all of section 29; east half of southwest quarter, west half of southeast quarter, southeast quarter of northwest quarter and southwest quarter of northeast quarter of section 20; the west half of section 21, all in township 14 south, of range 25 east; and the southwest quarter of section 34, in township 13 south, of range 24 east, all of said lands being of Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Also the following described lands, situate, lying and being in the county of Tulare, State of California, to wit:

The northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, in township 15 south of range 25 east; the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 3, township 15 south, range 25 east, all of said lands being of Mount Diablo base and meridian.

And in said original complaint judgment is sought that the said William Wootton, at the time of his death, was the owner and in possession of the above described premises, and that plaintiff is the owner thereof as a devisee of the said William Wootton, and that the several papers, writings, instruments, described in said amended complaint and of record in the office of the county recorder of the county of Fresno and of the said county of Tulare affecting said property are null and void, and are false and fictitious, all of which more fully appears by said amended complaint on file in this action, reference to which is made for further particulars; and the said W. A. Sanders and the said Albert Gilbert Sanders, a minor, (suing in said action by his guardian ad litem, G. C. Freman) have filed a cross complaint in said action under which you, the said persons above named, are made parties defendant and sued, which said cross-complaint was filed by order and permission of the court on the 5th day of January, 1895, and in and by said cross complaint it is set forth and alleged in substance that it was understood and agreed that the said Knausch would purchase of the said Wootton the lands and premises above described for the sum of $10,000, together with the personal property thereon, and that he would convey certain of the said lands to the said W. A. Sanders or to the said A. G. Sanders, a minor, for said W. A. Sanders, in consideration of which the said W. A. Sanders would execute a mortgage to him for the sum of $5,000, and also would convey to him, the said Knausch, the following described lands, situated in the County of Fresno State of California, and particularly described as follows to-wit: the west half of the northwest quarter and the south half of the southwest quarter of section 30 Township 15 south, range 26 east of M. D. B. and M., containing 175 acres of land; and it is alleged in said cross-complaint that said conveyance and mortgage were made to the persons above named respectively as agreed, and that an agreement was entered into between the said Wootton, and the said Knausch, and the said Graves and the said W. A. Sanders, and the said minor, A. G. Sanders, whereby a tract of land above referred to was to be planted to oranges, lemons and other citrus fruits, and water was to be bored for and developed upon said lands, and the same was to be improved and rendered valuable.

It is further alleged that since the execution of said several papers and the consummation and execution of said agreement that the said defendants, Wootton, Knausch and Graves have wholly abandoned the same and have wholly failed and refused to carry out the same upon their part agreed, or to do or perform any part thereof, and that they have wholly abandoned the same, and that thereby the consideration of the said W. A. Sanders and the said minor, A. G. Sanders, have wholly failed, and that they have offered and are ready and willing to convey to the said Wootton, Knausch and Graves all and everything by them received from them, and to transfer, release and redeliver to them everything received from them, and to fully relinquish, abandon and rescind said contract, transaction or agreement, and in said cross complaint they offer so to do. And the said cross complaint having been filed in said action, and the persons above named being either defendants under said complaint, or by order of the court made defendants under said cross-complaint, reference to said cross-complaint is hereby made for further particulars and the same is hereby made a part of this summons, and you are hereby referred to the same for further particulars.

The said cross-complainants pray for general relief in their said cross-complaint, and this summons being issued under and upon the filing of said cross-complaint and in pursuance of an order of the Court making you, and each of you parties defendant under said cross-complaint and directing that summons be issued and served upon you, and each of you; you are, therefore, and hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said cross-complaint as above required, the said cross-complainants, to-wit: the said W. A. Sanders and A. G. Sanders, a minor (suing herein by his guardian ad litem, G. C. Freman), will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his said cross-complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, this 5th day of January, 1895.

{SEAL OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.} W. A. SHEINMAN, Clerk.

By C. O. WOOD, Deputy Clerk.

Frank H. Short, Attorney for defendants and Cross-complainants. j3tf

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TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:

1.00 A.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—Daily, For Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and riverside.

5.30 A.M.—EXPRESS—Daily, For Gilliis, Mendota, Row den, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

7.30 A. M.—"SUNSET LIMITED"—Sundays only for Mendota, Tracy, Port Costa, Oakland and San Francisco only.

7.30 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday for Lathrop and all way stations.

8.00 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily, For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.

8.10 A. M.—SUNSET EXPRESS (via Martinez)—Daily, For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

12.05 P. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday, For Fellmore and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 3.45 p.m.

3.15 P.M.—"SUNSET LIMITED"—Thursdays only; vestibuled train running through to New Orleans.

4.00 P.M.—PASSENGER TRAIN — Daily, except Sundays, for Berenda, Raymond and all way stations.

6.30 P.M. MIXED TRAIN—Daily, For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations. Sundays only runs through to Pole, returning Mondays only.

8.00 P.M.—SUNSET ROUTE ATLANTIC EXPRESS—Daily, For Los Angeles, New Orleans and East.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, January 16.—Observation taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon:

Barometer	29.50
Temperature	56
Dew point	32
Humidity, per cent	35
Wind, SE, miles per hour	12
Maximum temperature for past 24 hours	56
Minimum temperature for past 24 hours	40
Rainfall past 24 hours, inches	0.05
Total rainfall for season, inches	8.20

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 8 a.m. January 17.—Northern California: Rain tonight; partly clearing, but with occasional rain Thursday; nearly stationary temperature; brisk to high southeasterly winds, shifting to southwesterly.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

"Fresno No. 1" (new brand.)

We will make a "New Start."

Wheat is growing luxuriantly.

Dorsey & Parker, wood and coal.

Wood and coal—Redden & Collins.

Watch and jewelry repairing, P. Hoy, 1013 J street.

Excavation for the high school building is progressing.

The hardpan must be very deep if this winter's rains do not reach it.

Hobbs & Parsons have removed to 1336 Tulare street, near postoffice.

What is "Fresno No. 1?" The only "FANCY PATENT FLOUR" in the market.

See the ad of the Fresno Nursery Company in another column on this page.

Just received, a carload of cypress and gums at Fancher Creek Nursery tree depot.

The "frog pond" looked quite like old times as the result of yesterday's rain storm.

It was not Sol Goodman, of the firm of Alexander & Goodman, who was referee at the prize fight.

Judgment for the plaintiff was yesterday given in Judge Webb's court in the suit of G. H. Maller against F. T. Elsin.

The barometer was the lowest yesterday morning in Fresno ever recorded here. This accounts for the high winds.

William Bailey was tried by a jury yesterday in Justice St. John's court on a charge of vagrancy. He was acquitted.

A Madera paper says that during the baseball game there last Sunday, Gage, of the Belmont team, had his nose broken.

Thomas O'Brien, charged with petty larceny, was yesterday discharged by Recorder Clark, the complaining witness failing to prosecute.

M. Goth agent for Baker & Hamilton's agricultural impliments and hardware, has removed from Front street to corner Tulare and J streets.

During the rain storm last evening the electric light wire was blown against a poplar tree near the Adventist church, setting fire to some of the branches.

Mento Mellyn yesterday filed complaint in a divorce proceeding against Hubert F. Mellyn. The papers are sealed. Thompson & Prince represent the plaintiff.

The young evangelist, J. Gilchrist Lawson, will speak in the First Baptist church, corner J and Merced, tomorrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especially to all the young people of Fresno to be present.

Men who own or operate small placer diggings where water is usually scarce are taking advantage of the splendid opportunity afforded by the incessant rains, and are lining their pockets with the yellow dust. They reverse the motto "make hay while the sun shines" and substitute "dig gold while it rains."

The revival meetings at the Methodist church are sweeping onward and growing rapidly in interest despite the wet weather. Several persons came forward to espouse the life of christian faith at each service. The "Indian Evangelist" is full of fire and wit as well as faith and law. The church is enthusiastically rejoicing.

JOHN BOYD THACHER A WITNESS.

He Fully Verifies a Disputed World's Fair Award.

John Boyd Thacher is laconic and decisive in his statements. During the lively campaign just closed in New York, this marked him especially as chairman of the Democratic State Committee. It was equally true of him as chairman of the Executive Committee on Awards at the World's Fair. This is the positive and sententious way in which he verifies in an official letter, the honors won by Dr. Price's Baking Powder. "I herewith enclose you an official copy of your award, which in due time will be inscribed in the diploma and forwarded." Thus the question respecting the award, raised by an envious New York rival, is settled beyond cavil. This same rival by the way is widely advertising an award for itself. The official records prove this claim wholly false as they show the New York pretender was not so much as an exhibitor at the World's Fair.

A. J. Paterson, Piano Tuner
At Riege's, 1809 Mariposa street.

South & Fentem's
For diaries '95, blank books, legal blanks, office and school supplies, library books and the latest novelties in stationary.

Diaries for 1895.
C. H. Riege carries a complete line in both office and pocket diaries.

Fresh Every Day.
Cream puffs and chocolate eclairs at City Bakery and Restaurant.

For Old Kentucky Whiskies
Go to the Columbia, 1019 J street, Kaiser Bros. No compound; only straight goods. Sold by quart or gallon at lowest prices.

"Come In" Jolly
And have some of these fine friendollies and a glass of Extra Pale at the Old Palm Garden.

Regular meeting of the Fresno Equal Suffrage club and election of officers this, Wednesday, at 3 p.m., at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Mead, 1411 M street.

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Board your horses at the Armory stables. Telephone 106.

All kinds of plain and fancy cakes on hand and made to order at the City Bakery and Restaurant.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Christian Spirit of the Southern Pacific Illustrated.

BACHMAN CAUSES YENUS TO WEEP

Justice as It Is Dispensed at Mendota and Firebaughs—Cemetery Thieves.

The announcement that the Southern Pacific Company would give reduced traveling rates to the prominent citizens of Fresno who attend the railroad meeting in Los Angeles leads to the suspicion that the Kentucky corporation may be a religious institution in disguise. Or, if that is not it, how do you account for the company's action? Is it possible that it does not realize that these prominent citizens went to Los Angeles for the purpose of building a competing road? Is it possible that it fails to comprehend that when the Angel City and the Raisin City combine something has got to break? Is it possible that it doesn't know that these prominent citizens and the prominent citizens of the southern metropolis are going to say to the rockribbed mountains, "Presto! change," and the mountains shall change—small change—until a competing road has been built through them? Or, if the railroad does understand these things, what does it mean by giving reduced fares to men who propose to make the traffic bear less between Stockton and Fresno than between Chicago and Stockton? Oh, these be the questions that "knock!" If the Southern Pacific is practicing piety why doesn't it advertise the fact, and if it isn't what does it mean by turning its other cheek also? Probably I never will be able to understand about those reduced fares to Los Angeles.

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The man who goes about with a scraper gathering up the mud on Tulare street blithely carries it along until he comes to J street; then, on the south side of Tulare, he reverses his scraper and dumps its contents on J. Oh, it's all right, of course. He cannot make J street particularly worse than it is; some mud, more or less, will not count there now. But some of these days a dreadful tragedy is certain to occur. Some little boy with the glad light of youth and seventeen pounds of taffy and dirt on his ingenuous countenance will disappear, and in the spring his tiny skeleton will be found in the dried mire of J street near the business center of town.

If the street were paved—but what's the use of talking?

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Some men are born fools; others achieve folly, and yet others have folly thrust upon them. I am all three.

A kindly clergyman put away his gold-plate, took chances on his silver, and invited me to dine with him the other night. When duty calls, or dinner, I'm never wanting there; so I went. At his home I met several pleasant people who had been strangers to me. At the table the conversation was bright and cheerful, and I had several chances to make a gum arabic idiot of myself, which I seized with avidity. We were discussing humor, and I said:

"As far as humor is concerned, there is no people so thick-headed, so doltish, so impermeable as the English. Sow ten bushels of jokes in the English brain, and you would not raise one feeble pun. They are the dons—"

"Mr. —— and Mr. —— were born in England."

That is what my host said in a low tone of voice, but his subsequent attempt to talk about the weather was a gloomy failure. Pretty soon I saw my chance again. I said:

"I like the orthodox churches, in one of which I was raised. The cold formality and the printed prayers of some churches jar on my spiritual nature, and are obnoxious to—"

"Mrs. —— and Miss —— are Episcopalians."

After my host had said this to me in an aside, he returned to the weather again, and I subsided. The Lord in His infinite wisdom may have seen fit to give me clams in the place of brains, but clams know enough to shut up after they have noticed a thing or two.

If anybody thinks that I look intelligent, I'll bet him a dollar and a half to a church-social oyster stew that he is mistaken.

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If anybody goes to Sacramento and notices upon the streets a beautiful apparition in wide-checkered English trousers and a Willie-boy coat with a large yellow chrysanthemum in its lapel, that is our own Bachman. I know, for a man who came from there told me. They say that the Sacramento ladies walk blocks just to see Fresno's Democratic assemblyman, and if he smiles on one of them—that glad and beautiful smile!—it gives them a palpitation which only time can remedy. Mark that I did not say he does smile upon them; I only said, "if he smiles." The distinction ought to be noted by any man's family. He promised me that he would be very careful of the coat when I let him take it, and I am glad to know that it becomes him. In the following I take the chances on his "coming back at me:"

Oh, Adonis isn't in it, and Antinous is left,
And the ages, half forgotten, of their glory are bereft,
And on the dim Olympus lovely Venus weeps today
To think she caught Adonis and let Bachman get away.
Through Fresno's brightest visions Bach's Willie coasts in gleams,
And the glory of chrysanthemums is mingled with her dreams,
And her heart is kissed by gladness as the flowers by the dew, hey!
For Fresno has her raisins, and she has her Bachman, too.

In the town of Sacramento, where the women all are sweet,
Our assemblyman, they tell me, mows a swath that's hard to beat,
With his pretty Willie coatlet and his checkered trousersloon,
And the women in his wakeful, like a pulitical platoon.
Oh, the glory of chrysanthemum is all about him there,
And the fragrance of pomatum is sequestered in his hair,
And on the dim Olympus lovely Venus weeps today
To think she caught Adonis and let Bachman get away.

Oh, Bachman, dearest Bachman, give head unto my prayer
That you will guard my Willie coat with every anxious care,
For I give you my assurance, which you will not deem a joke,
That it is not much accustomed to remaining long "in soak."
All Fresno sends her greetings; she is proud of your success;
Your trousers gleam in fancy like a comet in distress;
And they say it really is a fact that Venus weeps today
To think she caught Adonis and let Bachman get away.

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I understand that there was a prize fight in Fresno night before last. I do not understand that there have been any arrests. Why? The law on the subject is clear enough; the principals, referee and time-keeper are known, for the REPUBLICAN has published their names, and I suppose that the names of many or all of the spectators could be ascertained. What are the police doing? There stands the law on the statute books, explicit and plain. The officers have sworn to enforce it and all other enactments. Are they doing so? And, if not, why are their oaths violated? Does the sentiment of the community justify prize fighting? I don't believe it, and, whether it does or does not, there stands the law. Does the sentiment of the officers justify it? They are not the interpreters, but the sworn enforcers of the statutes. The people of Fresno expect you to do your duty, gentlemen of the blue uniform and nickel star.

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The termination of a surprise party by prayer was a recent local innovation which was, of course, meritorious, but was not the less unique on that account. It is, perhaps, not unreasonable to look forward with hope to the glad day when dancing parties shall begin with an invocation and end with "Old Hundred." It may be, however, that the prayer was offered in gratitude that some of the household furniture was left intact.

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The following letter, asking additional information, has been received:

MR. MAN ABOUT TOWN:—Another "Constant Reader" would like a little information about some of Ambrose Bierce's poetry. All lovers of English admire Bierce's perfect style, and at times his wonderful imagery and flights. It matters not where Bierce wishes to fly, up or down, to the right or left, or what subject he seizes, material or mind, rational or metaphor, there will be leaves his impress of grandeur or brilliancy, and I agree with "The Man About Town" as to his niche now and hereafter.

But, nevertheless (being a layman), I would like to have pointed out to me the poetry in Bierce's "Ode to a Pounded Calf." You say it is the nearest approach in beauty and smoothness to the odes of Dryden and Collins that the language contains. I have tried my small best to hear this statement out, and have failed; so I wish "The Man About Town" to point out the poetry. I think there is rhythmical music, a jingle, a perfect meter; but I cannot see a thought in the entire ode, it does it may be the first time, "Animal of classic mold." Is there any beauty suggested, or delightful or other mysterious? Is there any food for thought to the reflective or wondering mind?

The ode seems to tell me in sham language that a calf ate too much squash, became foundered thereby, and was cured by giving it some dope, and using a wash made of cherry bark and blue cohosh. CONSTANT READER.

If "Constant Reader" can see no beauty in the ode, he may, if he prefers, consider that Bierce is not the author. From the brief statement of what he sees in the ode, it is plain that he does not see all the beauty there is in it. He recognizes the statement of simple truth, as seen in nature. What is sublimer than truth? Well may we ask, with Carlyle: "Must truth be wrapped in banners of glory, or clothed in hellfire, before we can recognize it?" It could not be expected that the subject of that ode would lead the poet to the flights of imagination which would be required in describing the storming of Troy, the battle of Waterloo or the crossing of the Rubicon. The true critic must be able to see as much beauty in the painted wings of a fly as in the pinions of an eagle. This is the element of criticism which "Constant Reader" No. 2 failed to exercise.

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The fate of a commercial traveler who recently visited Firebaugh should be an everlasting lesson to him never to bet on the other man's game. The drummer was called to that town on business, and while waiting for the next train, he concluded to while away the hours in a game of poker. There were plenty of people willing to join with him, and they sat down in Ike Myer's hotel. The drummer was a good poker player, but he played against luck. It is said that the best of players sometimes find it that way. He lost again and again, and when his exchequer began to run low, there was one of two things to be done—issue bonds like Cleveland, or go in debt. He preferred the latter, and in he went. He played and bet, and called for drinks, lost again, bet the harder, drank more vigorously, and finally reached that stage (sometimes reached by the most estimable men) when he did not know exactly where he was at.

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But he soon found out where he was at. The hotel man had him arrested for obtaining goods under false pretense, and there was a short cut from Firebaugh to jail. The justice sentenced him to thirty days, and before he had much more than recovered his breath from the shock, he was in the Fresno jail. Then he knew where he was at.

But he did not stay long. It is customary for a justice of the peace to send a committment along with the prisoner who goes to jail. But the only document of this sort sent with the prisoner was this, signed by the justice:

"I order Pollard in custody of the sheriff one hour while I write my docket."

The fact being brought to the attention of Judge Risley in an official manner, he ordered Mr. Pollard released, and he does not want anything more to do with justice as it is administered at Firebaugh.

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Another man was brought into the court of Mendota township about the same time, charged with a felony. He had used a knife on a fellow man. He pleaded guilty before the justice, was fined $30, paid it, and went his way. It was some time before the justice of the peace learned that his court had no jurisdiction in felony cases except to hold preliminary examinations, and pass the prisoner to the superior court, if he deserves it. The man who used the knife, no doubt, considered himself lucky that the justice did not order him hanged on the spot without the benefit of clergy.

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It is said that some men who pass themselves off as expert lawn gardeners are working Fresno. Their trick is to steal valuable plants from one yard and sell them at the next, if they can. It is said they have been able to carry on a considerable business in this line.

It is charged against them that they have visited the Mountain View cemetery, and have stolen from the graves many of the wire frames in which friends place flowers as decorations of the last resting places of the dead. It is bad enough to steal from the living, but it is much worse to rob the dead. The officers should investigate.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

The Camera Club.

The Fresno Camera Club held its monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the studio of Mr. Adelsnack on Mariposa street. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Lucius Baker; vice president, W. R. Johnston; treasurer, E. F. Otto; secretary, H. H Alexander. Meetings are to be held monthly, on the third Tuesday of the month. Strong efforts will be made to make this one of the strongest and most pushing clubs on the coast, and it is hoped at no distant day to give the general public some idea of the talent and skill of the members by giving an exhibition of their handiwork. The fees are very low, and all amateurs are cordially invited to join. It is proposed from time to time to give practical talks on the subject of "Developing," "Printing," "Lantern Slides," etc. All information may be obtained from the secretary, H. H. Alexander, box 661, Fresno.

Prizes Awarded.

At the meeting of the South Side Whist club Tuesday evening in Judge Austin's court room the first prize, a vase, was awarded to Mrs. H. Z. Austin and the booby prize, a jug of smelling salts, to W. D. Noble. At the next meeting the club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller at the residence of Judge Nourse.

Special Venire.

Judge Risley yesterday ordered a special venire of twenty jurors to be in court at 10 o'clock this morning to hear the case of A. R. Elmore against Jay Scott as sheriff. The suit is to recover possession of a supply of drugs formerly in A. J. Elmore's drug store at Sanger, which were levied upon under an execution.

THE COUNTY ORPHANAGE

A CORRESPONDENT'S VIEWS IN THE MATTER.

Emphatic Denial That Any Church Politics or Discord Has Entered the Plan.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Your paper of Wednesday's issue, in reporting the supervisors' work of Tuesday, in regard to the organization of ladies who have offered to take charge of the orphanage matter for the county, says that "it has been learned that the ladies have not been able to agree on the choice of a matron, and there is an element of church politics apparently creeping in. Two candidates for matron are already in sight in the ante-room of the lady managers, and some canvassing has been done in their interest."

Will your reporter rise and explain where he obtains his authority for this astonishing assertion, which is false in every particular? It does great injustice to the ladies who, out of the goodness of their hearts, and at the suggestion of the newspapers and the supervisors, have formed this association. A few ladies wishing only to form a society that would give the supervisors a foundation for turning over those children to the ladies of Fresno, if they really desired to do so, called upon Mrs. Gray with a request that she open her home to such an informal meeting, and she, always alive to the call of humanity, willingly consented, and later accepted reluctantly the office of president. The ladies gave no attention at this meeting to any business except the election of officers, leaving it to a future meeting to select a matron. So far no contest over matrons, nor church politics nor any other politics, has crept in. The ladies all feel deeply the injustice done them, and if they consulted their feelings alone would at once drop the entire matter; but duty calls, and when has a true woman been known to shirk a duty, be it ever so disagreeable?

The question of what shall be done with the orphan children of this county has become an open matter for discussion. Should they be sent to Vallejo at a cost of $5 each with traveling expenses added, or should some way of providing for them at home be decided upon? Among the people generally there is an expressed desire to retain them in Fresno, which cannot fail to strike any thinking person as the only sensible decision. If I am correctly informed we now have twenty-one children in the Vallejo home, which added to the fourteen now under discussion makes thirty-five, and at $5 each the cost reaches the neat little sum of $175 per month, or $2100 per year, which now goes to enrich Vallejo, while if these little ones were kept in Fresno, would return again to circulation through our purchase of supplies, thereby benefitting all the business men in our city. Besides, the children would grow up with an interest in Fresno county. It is simply a question of time when this will have to be done, and it is a disgrace to the county to send these helpless children away now.

It was the intention not to call another meeting until the decision of the supervisors was received, and then, if favorable to the association, a general meeting of all who felt an interest in the matter would be called and committees appointed, a matron selected and a large society organized, but the peculiar action of the supervisors makes it necessary that a meeting shall be called at once. If it is the intention of the supervisors to assume full control of all appointments at the orphanage, even to selecting a matron, then of course there will be no use for a ladies organization, as this course would relieve them of all responsibility in the matter, and the society will at once disband.

The ladies who are interested in this work fully realize that it will be no child's play to undertake all that will devolve upon them, as they propose not only to pay dues themselves, but to suitably furnish a house, and assume a general oversight of the entire establishment, with only the actual money to be paid for each child, as a basis for their work. Therefore, if the supervisors take all this off their hands, and still arrange to keep the friendless little creatures at home, the ladies will have much to thank them for, and will disband the temporary association with pleasure. MRS. A. G. DEARBORN,
Secretary Pro Tem.

THE "NIGHTWATCH."

Money and Needs of the Court House Will be Guarded.

The supervisors were engaged most of yesterday in completing the list of 600 men, "good and true," eligible for jury duty, and they got through by 3 p.m. Then they disposed of the petition already referred to in the columns of the REPUBLICAN, praying for the appointment of a nightwatchman in the court house.

The petition was read and Rose moved that it be granted. Garrett seconded. Letcher put in an emphatic "no" when the vote was taken, but there were no speeches, and the office was created. Then Rose moved that the appointment be not made till the morrow in order that time might be given for the filing of applications. This was approved without dissent, it being stated that one applicant was already on file. By the time the board assembles this morning the list of applications will doubtless be largely increased.

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A PLEASANT PARTY.

Archie Grant and Mr. Gordon Entertain Their Friends.

Archie Grant entertained a few of his lady and gentlemen friends last Tuesday evening at his beautiful little home south of the fair grounds. The time was occupied with music, dancing and card playing until about 12 o'clock, when the guests were conducted to the dining room, where they partook of a splendid supper prepared by the host and his assistant, Mr. Gordon.

These gentlemen proved themselves, to the full satisfaction of those present, to be a success in the culinary art.

After doing ample justice to the good things spread before them, the party bid Mr. Grant good night, with the assurance that they had spent a pleasant and enjoyable evening.

The following is a list of those present:

MRS. J. Erwin, Mrs. Wilson, Misses Essie Chrisman, Hence, Annie Shultz, Mattie Shultz, Rose Benites, Nettie Martin, Mrs. Graham, Master Ernest Erwin, Messrs. Archie Grant, Archie Machen, Dick Welker, Charley Doyle, Joe Green, Lee Cutberth, William Sherwood, Frank Walkup, George Gordon, John Erwin, George Gilbert.

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Domestic and Imported Liquors
Cold Lunches and Hot Frankfurters
At the most popular resort in the town
The New Palm Garden, opp. the Barton
ED. SCHWARZ, Prop.

Notice!

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, FRESNO COUNTY, CAL.

The Board of Supervisors of Fresno county have fixed Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the rooms of said board, as the time and place of hearing all parties interested in the matter of the care and support of all orphan and half orphan children dependent upon the county, when and where the question of whether said children will be transported to various asylums, or maintained within the county, will be taken up and disposed of. Interested parties are invited to be present.

E. P. WICKERSHAM, Chairman.
T. G. HEAR, Clerk.
By J. B. JAMESON, Deputy.
January 15, 1895.

F. A. Foin has had practical experience in his business since 1849, and if you have had trouble in getting good work done in tinning and plumbing, give him a call. All work warranted first-class, and reasonable charge. F. A. Foin & Son, Fresno street, below the old postoffice.

Eli Henderson pays the highest price for county script and coyote claims, 1059 J street.

Fresh pies and cakes every day at the City Bakery and Restaurant.

He Still Keeps There.

Who?
Scott, the leading grocer.
Where?
Why, in the middle of the road, ha! ha!
Well, why is it that he stays there?
Because his low prices on the best selected stock of groceries in Fresno, keep his competitors on each side in the gutter.
Gracious! What's he doing now?
He is simply slaughtering the prices on ham, bacon, lard and sugar.
Just think!
17½ pounds granulated sugar....$1.00
Sugar-cured hams....12½c
Sugar-cured bacon....12½c to 14c
Columbia river salmon....12½c
Corned beef, 2 pounds....20c
Jams and jellies....20c
10 pounds of pure kettle rendered leaf lard, $1.25. Sold elsewhere for $1.50.
That's right, keep there Scott.

Special Announcement — Fresno Cash Store.

I have bought the Rutledge stock of groceries for spot cash at a reduced rate and am daily receiving new goods of best quality—NO SECOND.

I am selling at low rates prices consistent with the best quality of goods.

PROMPT AND POLITE ATTENTION TO CUSTOMERS.

I give 16 pounds of sugar or 1 sack of Stockton flour free to every cash customer buying $10 worth of goods at one time, sugar and flour excepted.

One-half the amount for $5 worth.

CALL AND SEE MY GOODS AND GET MY PRICES.

Fresno Cash Store,
1131 and 1133 J street. Red Front.
F. H. Lowell & Co.
Telephone No. 113.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing.

Webster Bros. drug store, corner K and Mariposa streets.

See the World's Fair for Fifteen Cents.

Upon receipt of your address and 15c in postage stamps, we will mail you prepaid our Souvenir Portfolio of the World's Columbian Exposition, the regular price is 50c, but as we want you to have one, we make the price nominal. You will find it a work of art and a thing to be prized. It contains full page views of the great buildings, with descriptions of same, and is executed in highest style of art. If not satisfied with it, after you get it, we will refund the stamps and let you keep the book. Address H. E. BUCKLEN & CO., Chicago, Ill.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Webster Bros., Druggists, corner K and Mariposa streets, Fresno.

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, SAMUEL DAVIS MADE A WRITTEN deed of trust to Ed R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated August 25th 1880, and recorded on the 2nd day of September, 1880, in book 13 of deeds, at page 42 and following, records of Fresno county, State of California, the said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, made by the said Samuel Davis; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as said trustees, will on Wednesday February 13th, 1895, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in United States gold coin, all the real property situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The east half of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three, in township fifteen south, range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging, also all water ditches, water rights and privileges that are now or may hereafter be connected with or appertain to said land.

ED R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. P. COLEMAN, Trustee.
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PLYMOUTH ROCK CLEARANCE SALE

Will begin on Saturday morning, and the prices at which we propose to slaughter our Shoes will be a

Grand Revelation to the People of Fresno!

Don't Take Our Word for It! Come and See for Yourselves!

Our $1.50 Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Shoes, patent tips, $1.

Our $3 Ladies' Vici Kid Button, Laced and Juliettes, Cloth or Kid tops, all the latest style toes and tips, $2.

A lot of fine Hand Turned Button Ladies' shoes worth $4, at $2.50.

Fleece lined house slippers were $1.50 now 90c.

Our $1.75 Men's Heavy wet weather Shoes, Buckel or Congress, $1 25.

Our $2.50 and $3 Men's Satin Calf Shoes, all styles, now $2.

Police shoes, three soles, were $2.50, now $1.75.

Boys' Laced and Button Shoes Calf and Sealskin, $1.50.

Childs School Shoes, sizes 9 to 11½, were $1.50 now $1.

Babies Kid Button Shoes, 40c.

Our low priced shoes sold quickest last year, hence our stock consists of nearly all high grade goods, which we have cut to less than low grade prices. The first to come get the best selections.

Our Sweeping
CLEARANCE SALE
The Sensation of the
Dry Goods Trade
Prices Unapproachable
By all Competitors!
W. McCALLUM & CO

Plymouth Rock Shoe Store

MARIPOSA STREET, NEAR I.

OGLE HOUSE

Fresno, Cal.
FRONT ST., OPPOSITE PASSENGER DEPOT.

Best second-class Hotel in the valley. Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers. Trains stop 25 minutes for meals. Board and room $4 and $4.25 per day. Headquarters for all Stage lines. SPECIAL RATES to excursionists and family parties.

COLLINS BROS., - PROPRIETORS.

TRUE TO NAME!

Is what has always been said of trees of OUR OWN HOME GROWTH! And this year we have a large stock of all varieties of Peaches, Apricots, Pears, Nectarines, Prunes, Plums and all kinds of deciduous stock; also Ornamentals, Shrubs and a particularly Fine Stock of Roses.

We are selling the only Orange and Lemon Trees grown in this county, which are, therefore, thoroughly acclimated.

SEND FOR CATALOGUE AND PRICE LISTS.

FRESNO NURSERY COMPANY
S. W. MARSHALL, President. F. H. WILSON, Vice-President.

Toilet Articles

Comprise a world of necessaries in which King Soap holds sway. His Majesty of the washroom never looked more royal than he does in our stock, that omits nothing desirable in soapdom. All hands are candidates elected for soap, and our soaps are the choicest of the choice for all in Fresno. Make your soap election and selection as satisfactory as possible by procuring your toilet articles from an assortment that includes everything. "All Soaps" is our declaration of business; so is "All Drugs and Medicines," because these are pure, fresh and genuine, and correctly compounded by competent druggists, at

G. H. MONROE,
1922 and 1924 Mariposa street, between J and K, Telephone 74.

Herbal Tissue Builder
For Weak Men and Women.

Menhol and Physical Weakness
This most positive and speedy cures. Purely herbal, reliable, harmless and safe.

HERBAL REMEDY CO.
New York. San Francisco.

For Sale by Smith Bros., Fresno

Assessment Notice.

The Monarch Vineyard Company, location of principal place of business, room 65, Flood building, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 26th day of December, 1894, an assessment of ten (10) dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, J. O. Jackson, at his office, 739 Market street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 5th day of February, 1895, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 1895, to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. O. JACKSON, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, 739 Market Street, San Francisco, California. 101ddaw

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

Sheriff's Sale No. 6221.

W. D. Crichton vs. Christian Christesen and Metie Christesen.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, of the State of California, wherein W. D. Crichton is plaintiff, and C. Christesen and Metie Christesen, defendants, upon a judgment rendered the [illegible] day of December, A. D. 1894, for the sum of [illegible] 20-100 dollars, lawful money, with interest, costs, etc., I have this day levied upon, left the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, Christian Christesen and Metie Christesen, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

The SW¼ of the SE¼ of section 26, township 15 south, range 22 east, M. D. B. and M.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Friday, the 1st day of February, A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, in front of the courthouse door of the county of Fresno, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States, gold coin, all

WORK OF THE STORM

FRESNO COUNTY GETS ITS SHARE OF THE RUMPUS.

The Weather Prophet Smiles Grimly at the Verification of His Predictions.

When the rain flag was spread to the southerly breeze at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon there was an expanse of blue sky and a general suggestion of fair weather to come. A REPUBLICAN reporter timidly approached Captain Williams, the local weather prophet, and called his attention to the fact that the rain flag was flying.

"That's what it's there for," replied the Captain. The odds looked sixty to one against the Captain, and when 6 p.m. came and the stars shone brightly in a cloudless sky it looked a hundred to one.

But later on the clouds blew up in great masses, veiling the stars and piling up in regular "Pelion on Ossa" fashion till by midnight every sign portended a storm and a big one at that.

By 4 a.m. the storm was in full development—lightning, thunder and rain. Nearly half an inch of rain fell in three hours, and if it had continued there would have been a flood for certain.

The sky cleared in the forenoon, and again men asked why the rain flag was flying. For answer there came at 4 p.m. another storm like unto the previous one but more so. The Monroe Salisbury flyer-comb nation looked out of the windows of the Hughes hotel and laughed outright at the stories of California's climate. The land of "sunshine, fruit and flowers" was under a cloud just then. The weather prophet was working his sweet will without let or hindrance.

The effects of the repeated downpours of the past three weeks are sadly apparent in the swamp country. It took a resident of Huron seventeen hours to drive the forty miles into Fresno, and he did not loiter on the way except to "unbog" his wagon every mile or so on the other side of the Elkhorn grade. In many places there was running water over the road. Mr. Rose said yesterday afternoon that he had a heavy job ahead with his roads, and that their condition is very bad. Mr. Letcher will start out just as soon as the Board of Supervisors adjourn, and get the roads in the Second district into passable condition. The state of affairs is pretty much the same in the First and Fifth districts.

There is only one winter in a long term of years which will compare with the present for rainfall to date—namely, that of 1889-90, when Stockton and Visalia were flooded, and the Fresno rainfall to date was over nine inches. This winter it is eight inches. [illegible] downpour yesterday morning [illegible] most disagreeable ever known [illegible] for the time it lasted.

Fifteen High[illegible]

It is learned [illegible] would [illegible] considered good author[illegible] care and im- highbinders from San [illegible] all probable ap[illegible] arrived in Fres[illegible] the public and t[illegible] week or two. Then be in a position [illegible] o. 70, block 50, [illegible]arily with the hobo[illegible] the officers wish [illegible] ter they will know [illegible] Marketer.

Carrier Service Extended.

Notice was yesterday served on the residents of the southern portion of the city that henceforth mail will be delivered by carrier to their doors. It is understood that this service will extend as far south within the city limits as there are any residences.

SELMA LETTER.

Latest Fad of the Girls of That Enterprising Town.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—This has been a busy week socially. Wednesday night the officers of the Chrysanthemum Rebekah Lodge were installed by Mrs. Abbie Drew of Fresno, D.D.G.M. The installation was followed by a literary and musical program, after which a substantial collation was spread.

Eugene Maxwell was entertained by his friends Wednesday night. He will begin a tour of the Eastern states in a few days with a consignment of raisins.

Miss Fannie Huntsman gave a party to a number of friends at the residence of her father Thursday night.

Saturday night the Masonic hall was well filled with Masons, their families and a few friends, who gathered for the purpose of witnessing the installation of the officers of Selma Lodge No. 277. Dr. J. D. Wagner of Selma acted as installing officer. The installation was followed by an elegant banquet.

The week of prayer was observed by all the churches.

J. L. Hamil, the genial drygoods clerk in the employ of the Kutner-Goldstein company, returned from Iowa Tuesday, where he attended the death bed and funeral of his mother.

Miss Anna Ward returned Sunday from a five-weeks' visit in the southern part of the state.

No longer does the golden hair of the Selma footballists hang down their backs, for they have had their chrysanthemum locks clipped, and the latest fad among the girls is a pin cushion made from the hair of a pigskin kicker. A girl who does not possess one is quite out of it. SAW DUST.

Selma, January 14th.

Women Write the Sunday School Books.

The New York Evangelist announces the result of the vote recently taken among the Presbyterian Sunday schools of the country to determine the "best 100 books for a Sunday school library." As might have been expected, works of fiction are most popular, but the character of the fiction is notably high, both as regards literary merit and moral tone. Only 15 of the 100 volumes chosen were written by men. The authors of 85 per cent of the books most in request for Presbyterian Sunday school libraries in this country are women.

The World's W. C. T. U.

The next convention of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance union, a body composed of delegates of national temperance organizations of women throughout the world, will meet in London in June next. The meetings will probably cover two or more days and include a great public assembly in Queen's hall. Preparations for these gatherings, which promise to be of some importance, are being made, including [illegible] for the reception of delegates from the United States, Canada [illegible] Australasia.

HESTER IN THE GARDEN.

Fringed with stately gentian stalks,
Cut in strips by narrow walks,
Mistress Hester's garden lies
Prim as Quaker paradise.

Not a blossom pert and gay!
Sober phlox and caraway,
Modest violet and pea,
Keep Miss Hester company.

Morn and eve, in soft gray gown,
Walks she slowly up and down,
With her eyes upon the page
Of some quaint old saint and sage.

What a picture—did she know—
Of the simple long ago!
How her very garments stir
With the scent of lavender!
—James Buckham in Youth's Companion.

Statistics prove that not less than 8,200 babies are born every day on United States soil.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

PERSONAL.

T. W. Pratt is over from Herndon.

H. E. Gould of Mariposa is in Fresno.

F. H. Lowell went to Madera yesterday.

District Attorney Snow is in San Francisco.

J. E. Mason is down from San Francisco.

James A. Lacy of San Francisco is here.

Reed Jones of San Francisco is in Fresno.

J. M. Pullard of Chicago is registered at the Hughes.

W. W. Patterson of Stanislaus county is visiting in this city.

Professor F. E. Cook passed the examination before the supreme court in San Francisco yesterday.

Miss Rosa Soter, 12 years old, had the misfortune to break her arm while playing at the St. Augustine academy yesterday.

Misses Amelia and Dorothy Sutherland have returned to their home at Hanford, after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. Sutherland of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bragg of San Francisco are in Fresno. Mr. Bragg is manager for nearly all the well known lecturers who visit the Pacific coast.

Mrs. L. Culver, who had been in San Francisco and northern cities for the past two months, paid Fresno a brief visit yesterday, returning north again on the morning's train.

Tom Raymond, manager of Mr. Monroe's fast horses, will remain in Fresno for a while yet in hope that the storm may break away, and the racetrack be once more in condition for lowering world records.

Cases Set for Trial.

In department 2 of the superior court yesterday, Judge Carter set the following cases for trial:

Alice M. Stephenson vs. J. O. Denel; trial February 4th.

Estate of Man Wo Chan; February 8th.

Naher vs. Naher; February 1st.

G. A. Everts vs. Fred Drew; February 7th.

T. Balfour vs. J. N. Pool; February 6th.

Hotaling-McBride.

At the residence of L. O. Stephens yesterday occurred the marriage of C. H. Hotaling and Miss Margaret McBride, both of this city. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Martin. The newly married couple will make their home on a farm near Selma, and their many friends and well-wishers predict for them abundant success and happiness.

THE MAKING OF THIEVES.

A Significant Increase In the Number of Child Criminals.

There has surely been of late a very great and significant increase in the number of child criminals that are brought to our police courts. There are more of them, and they are much younger than they used to be, and they are vastly "tougher." Their manner shows plainly that the street has been their teacher, and that they have been apt pupils. Its method is simple and varies in Hell's Kitchen and in Jewtown only in the opportunities offered. To begin with, the boy idler in the street during school hours is there in defiance of law, whether the fault is his own or not, and he knows it. He is in the attitude of opposition, the normal attitude of the street. The policeman is his enemy, and the policeman stands for the established order of things.

Thus the groundwork is laid for whatever mischief comes along. It is not long in coming, rarely longer than the dinner hour of the first day. The boy is hungry. He wants something to eat. A boy's hunger is not like a man's, which can be appeased with promises. He wants something at once. If he is playing hooky, he does not want to go home to get it. Anyway there is no need to do so. The street can show him an easier way. A grocer's stand is handy, or a pie wagon; better still, a soda water wagon. The bottle is worth so much cash at the junkshop. The driver's back is turned. The boy "swipes" one.

It is not a very great crime, but it is the stepping stone to many greater. A horse blanket or a copper bottomed boiler may be the next thing. It is the first step that costs an effort, and that not a very great one, with the clamor of a hungry stomach to drown the warning voice within him that whispers of the policeman and the lockup. The friends he makes in the street soon help him to contempt for the one and a secret pride in the other.—Jacob A. Riis in Century.

Convincing Evidence.

"Do you believe in this talk about discovering a man's character from his handwriting?"

"I do," replied Mr. Hasbin Swift, with a sigh.

"Ever know of its being tried?"

"Yes. And with fatal efficacy. The experiment is most successful when the handwriting is read aloud in court."—

Scott's Emulsion

the cream of Cod liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is for

Coughs,
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Weak Lungs,
Consumption,
Loss of Flesh,
Emaciation,
Weak Babies,
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Poor Mothers' Milk,
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in fact, for all conditions calling for a quick and effective *nourishment. Send for Pamphlet. Free.*

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1149 J Street, Fresno.

Notice of Assessment

Fresno Flume and Irrigation Company, a corporation. Principal place of business of said corporation being located in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the directors held on the 11th day of December, 1894, an assessment of $3 (three dollars) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable at the office of said corporation in the Fresno National Bank building in said City of Fresno, to H. L. Musick, the secretary of said corporation on or before the 25th day of January, 1895. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the said 25th day of January, 1895, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 15th day of February, 1895, to pay delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

[SEAL] H. L. MUSICK.

As secretary of the Fresno Flume and Irrigation Co., location of office, rooms 12 and 13 in the Fresno National Bank building, on the corner of J and Tulare streets in the City of Fresno. d13

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate

WHEREAS, JOSEPH MACEDO AND HIS wife, Genevieve Macedo, made a certain deed of trust to Ed. R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated December 11th, 1889, and recorded the 21st day of December 1889, in book 105 of deeds, at page 323 and following, records of Fresno county, state of California; said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, made by the said Joseph Macedo and Genevieve Macedo; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on Wednesday, February 13th, 1895, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the real property situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of section number one in township sixteen south, range twenty two east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian; containing one hundred and sixty-two 53-100 acres more or less, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, and water rights and privileges now or hereafter in anyway appertaining to or used or connected with said land.

ED R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
j16 W. P. COLEMAN, Trustee

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Staple and Fancy Groceries; Provisions, Tobacco, Confectionery.

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Fine Fresh Fruit and Vegetables!

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Fresh Fish, Clams and Oysters, German Salt Pickles, Kraut, Limburger, Swiss and Edam Cheese, Olives, etc.

Eggs, Butter and Poultry Handled.

Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of A. B. Covalt, an insolvent debtor.

A. B. COVALT HAVING FILED IN THIS court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said A. B. COVALT is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Jay Scott, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the people of the state of California, conditioned as required by law, and in such sum as the court may order, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said A. B. Covalt, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same, or any part thereof (including the Sheriff of the county of Fresno) in his or their possession, are hereby directed to deliver said property to said receiver, and all persons owing money to said insolvent are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Hon. J. R. Webb, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, in open court at the court room of said court, in the county of Fresno, on the 19th day of January, 1895, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, California, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 13th, A. D. 1894

J. R. WEBB,
Judge of the Superior Court.

E. W. Risley, Attorney for Petitioner. d14td

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EIGHT GREAT LINES!

LADIES' HOSIERY.

At 10c a Pair.

We offer our regular and well known 15c Ladies' Fast Black Hose on this occasion at only 10c a pair.

At 15c a Pair.

50 dozen Ladies' seamless and stainless Fast Black Hose, full length, reduced from 20c to 15c a pair.

At 20c a Pair.

Our full lines of medium and heavy weight 40 gauge Ladies' Black Hose, Hermsdorff dye and extra finish, sold all over America at 25c, our price for this sale, 20c.

At 25c a Pair.

25 dozen Ladies' superior quality Black Hose, made of Macao cotton and full 50 gauge, reduced for this sale from 37½ to 25c.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY.

At 10c a Pair.

We offer a full line of Children's Fast Black Hose in all sizes, usual price 15c, for this sale reduced to only 10c a pair

At 15c a Pair.

75 dozen Children's seamless, absolutely Fast Black Hose, derby ribbed, sizes 5 to 8½, our usual price for them is 25c reduced for this sale to 15c a pair.

At 25c a Pair.

A line of Children's Hose in plain and Richelieu ribbed in all sizes, good value at 37½c a pair, marked for this sale at 25c.

At 35c a Pair.

A full assortment of our very best Children's Fast Black Hose, Hermsdorff dye and Cashmere finish, a splendid article, regular price 50c, for this sale only 35c a pair.

Louis Einstein & Co.

Just Received the First Shipment of "1895" Designs of Wall Paper and Decorations.

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Wholesale and Retail Butcher and Packer.

Choice Beef, Pork, Mutton and Veal. FINE Fresh Sausages Always on Hand.

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Every Article in the House will go at a GREAT SACRIFICE

IN ORDER TO RAISE MONEY TO MAKE A NEW START!

The LOW PRICES of this Sale will Break the Record of all Previous Sales!

Sale Begins MONDAY, JANUARY 14.

Read These Record Breaking Prices:

DRY GOODS. DRY GOODS.

600 pieces of prints at 2½c.
150 pieces Gingham, good quality, 2½c.
140 pieces Tennis Flannel, light and dark stripes, at 3½c.
Bleached and unbleached 4-4 Muslin, good quality, 4c.
Bleached and unbleached 4-4 Muslin, best quality, 7c.
Bleached and unbleached Canton Flannel, extra value, 4c.
Bleached and unbleached Canton Flannel, ne plus ultra, 7c.
Cheviot Shirting only 10c. One-half Wool Shirting, best grade, 20c.
Our 9-4 Sheeting still in the lead at 16c.
12 pieces bleached, half-bleached, unbleached and Turkey Red Table Linen, regular price 45c, will be sold during this sale at 30c.
Pure Linen Huck Towels, 42x21 inches, 20c.
35 dozen Damask Towels, will be sold at 3 for 50c, and 20c each.
Aneline Black Sateen at 10c and 15c.
Full line of French Sateen with colored figures, 15c.
Our celebrated Bedspreads, full size, will be sold at 90c and $1.40.
All our fine French Sateen Comforters, former price $3 and $3.50, now $2.
5 dozen full sized Comforters, filled with white cotton filling, $1.25, former price $2.
200 pairs Cotton Sheeting Blankets in grey and white, 65c.
A fine White, Wool, Family Blanket, large size, will be sold at $2.50.
Extra fine California Blanket at $4.

All Our Lace Curtains Going Regardless of Cost.

The balance of our elegant Eiderdown Comforters, conceded the finest in Fresno, will go at the unprecedented figure of $3.75.

DRESS GOODS. DRESS GOODS.

36-inch plain colored Serges, regular price 25c and 35c, sale price 15c a yard.
38-inch Cashmere with Henrietta finish, regular price 40c and 50c, sale price 25c a yard.
40-inch all-wool Cashmere, regular price 50c and 60c, sale price 35c.
36-inch all-wool Ladies' cloth, regular price 50c and 60c, sale price 25c a yard.
50-inch all-wool Ladies' cloth, regular price 60c and 75c, sale price 35c a yard.
56-inch all-wool Ladies' cloth, regular price 90c and $1, sale price 60c a yard.
54-inch all-wool Broadcloth, regular price $1 and $1.25, sale price 60c a yard.
54 inch extra heavy, all-wool Broadcloth, regular price $1.50 to $1.75, sale price $1 a yard.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

36-inch Diagonal, good weight, regular price 25c and 35c, sale price 15c.
40-inch English Cashmere, regular price 50c and 60c, sale price 35c a yard.
40-inch all-wool French Serge, regular price 75c to 90c, sale price 50c.
46-inch fine French Silk finish Henrietta, all wool, regular price $1 and $1.25, sale price 65c.

SILKS. SILKS. SILKS and VELVETS.

22-inch India Silks in all shades. Regular 50c goods; sale price 25c a yard.
Our entire line of Fancy and Changeable Silks, which has been the talk of the season, ranging in price from $1.25 to $1.75, will be slaughtered at 90c a yard.
Our entire stock of $1.25 Velvets will go at 75c a yard.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

We have quite a lot of nice trimmed hats left of which you can have your choice for $1.50.

FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' extra heavy Wool Hose in Black and Natural, regular price 50c, sale price 25c a pair.
Childrens' extra heavy all-wool Hose, full regular made, regular price 35c, sale price 15c a pair.
Childrens' Cotton Ribbed Hose in black and grey, sizes 5 to 8½, regular price 12½c, sale price 5c a pair.
Ladies' fast black Hose, cotton, regular price 25c, sale price 12½c a pair.
Ladies' Kid Gloves, Dress and Undressed, in browns, tans, reds and modes, regular prices $1 25, $1.50 and $1.75, sale price 75c a pair.
Fine Cotton Lace, 6 inches wide, 6c per yard; 4-inch, 5c; 2-inch, 3c and 1½ in. 2c.
Childrens' Handkerchiefs, hemmed and colored borders, sale price 5c each.
Our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Wool Underwear will be sold at cost. Prices will talk.
Ribbons, all silk, No. 7, 9, 12 and 16, regular price 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c, sale price for all widths 10c a yard.

CLOAKS. CLOAKS. CLOAKS.

Our entire stock must go. Regular $10 and $12.50 Coats will be sold for $4.50. Our $15 and $18 Garments will be sold during the sale for $7.50.

HATS. HATS. HATS.

50 dozen Boys' Cloth Hats reduced from 50c to 25c.
12 dozen Boys' all-wool Hats reduced from $1 25 to 50c.
10 dozen Men's Felt Hats reduced from $2.50 to $1.25.
16 dozen Men's Fedora Hats, latest styles, reduced from $2.50 to $1.40.
26 dozen Men's Derby Hats, latest styles, reduced from $2.50 to $1.50.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

125 dozen Men's Shirts, reduced from 50c to 25c.
85 dozen Men's Shirts, reduced from 75c to 45c.
19 dozen Men's Shirts, reduced from $1.25 to 75.
3 dozen Men's all-wool Shirts, reduced from $3.50 to $1.25.
48 dozen Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers, extra heavy, reduced from 75c to 47c.
26 dozen Men's Natural Wool Shirt and Drawers, reduced from $1 to 65c.
21 dozen Men's Vicuna Shirts and Drawers, reduced from $2 to $1.25.
16 dozen Men's Morris Mills Fancy Shirts and Drawers, reduced from $2.50 to $1.50.
100 dozen all-wool half Hose, 3 pairs for 50c.
65 dozen all-wool half Hose, extra heavy, per pair 20c.
80 dozen Men's Lamb's-wool Hose, 3 pairs for $1.
42 dozen Men's Fur Top Gloves, reduced from $1.50 to $1.
10 dozen Men's Fine Dog Skin Gloves, reduced from $1.25 to 75c.
15 dozen Men's Woolen Gloves, going at 25c.
4 dozen Men's Fine Foster Gloves, going at $1.50.

We are Leaders in Neckwear and Handkerchiefs.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

200 Men's Satinet Suits, reduced from $6 to $3.
40 Men's Union Cassimere Suits, reduced from $8.50 to $6.
50 Men's Cassimere Suits, reduced from $16 50 to $12 50.
30 Men's Scotch Tweed Suits, reduced from $16 to $11.
25 Men's Frock Suits, reduced from $18 to $12.
75 Men's Double-breasted Suits, reduced from $18 to $12.60.
80 blue and black Cheviot Suits, single and double-breasted, reduced from $22.50 to $16.

We wish to impress it upon the minds of all that there is absolutely nothing upon the market outside of San Francisco in the way of a ready-made suit that can compare with this line. Make and style first class.

50 Clay Worsted Suits, reduced from $20 to $14.
30 Clay Worsted Suits, Regent style, reduced from $27.50 to $18.50.
20 Pool Overcoats, reduced from $25 to $17.50. These are too well known to need more than passing mention.
30, nice, stylish Overcoats, reduced from $12 to $7.50.
20 Heavyweight Ulsters, reduced from $10 to $6 50.

CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

70 Children's Suits, sizes from 4 to 14, reduced from $3.75 to $2.10.
60 Children's Suits, reduced from $5 to $2 75.
90 Children's all-wool Suits, reduced from $6 to $3.
500 Boys' Knee Pants, all-wool, former price $1, sale price 65c.
55 Boys' Fancy Overcoats, old price $7, now $3.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Infant's Dongola Shoes, 15c. Infant's Kid Shoes 25c.
Infant's fine quality Kid Shoes, regular price 75c, "New Start Sale," price 35c.
Child's fine Spring, Heel, Hand Turned Sole, formerly sold at $1, "New Start Sale" price 55c.
Waterbury & Son's celebrated Children's Shoes, made of the finest Dongola Kid, sizes 5 to 10½, our regular $1.50 shoe, "New Start Sale" price 75c
Misses' fine quality Dongola Kid Dress Shoe, Spring Heel, the famous Elliott, New York make, always sold at $1.50 and $2, will go without reserve at 85c.
Misses' school shoes, fine Pebble Goat or Grain Leather, Spring Heel, plain or cap toes, our $1 50 grade, sizes 11 to 2, "New Start Sale" price 95c.
Boys' fine Calf Lace or Button Shoes, sizes 11 to 5, our $1.50 grade, "New Start Sale" price 80c.
Boys' fine Calf Congress Shoes, sizes 3 to 6, our $1.75 grade, "New Start Sale" price $1.15.

LADIES' SHOES.

Our entire line of Ladies' $1 50 Shoes, button, stylish Dongola Kid, patent leather tips, all shapes, will go during the "New Start Sale" at 95c
Ladies' fine Kid Button, cloth or kid tops, square or round toes, patent leather, our $2.50 grade, will go at the "New Start Sale" at $1.65.
Ladies' Kid Button, round or square toe, patent leather tips, slipper foxed, Jones & Glanville's well-known $3 and $3.50 shoes, "New Start Sale" price $1.85.
Ladies' French Kid Button, hand turned soles, round or square toe, plain, our $4 and $5 grades, "New Start Sale" price $2.45.
All our Ladies' French Kid Bluchers and Lace Shoes, patent leather tips and trimmed flexible soles, our $3.50 and $4, "New Start Sale" price $2.85.

MEN'S SHOES.

Men's B Calf, Congress or Lace, any style toe; our $1.50 and $1.75 grade, "NEW START SALE" price 95c.
Men's Fine Calf Congress or Lace Shoes, any style, good value at $2, "NEW START SALE" price $1.45.
Men's Extra Fine Congress or Lace Shoes, all styles of toes, formerly sold at $2.50, "NEW START SALE" price $1.85.
367 pairs Men's Finest Quality Calf, Congress or Lace Shoes, all styles of toes; our $3 and $3.50 grades will go at the "NEW START SALE" at $2.20.

SPECIAL OFFER

5 Per Cent off on above prices in purchases of $10.00 and upwards. This offer is made to everybody, and gives special inducements to people who come from other towns to attend the sale, as the special discount will give them a chance to get their fare back.

Sale Commences Monday Morning at 8:30 O'clock.

WHITE FRONT STORES

RADIN & KAMP, 1027, 1029 and 1031 I STREET, FRESNO

☞ No Mail Orders Attended to During the Sale.